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All hope of peace in the teamsters' strike has been abandoned, and from now on it will be open war. The militia is being held in readiness to respond on the first outbreak of rioting.—Page 1.

The United States Steel Corporation gained in net earnings so far this quarter—Page 2.

The Ohio Republican convention will oppose the policy of the Panama canal commission, which proposes to buy material and ships in the cheapest markets of the world.—Page 1.

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A former chief of police of Greenville accused two councilmen of malfeasance in office.—Page 7.

Mayor Weaver supports his stand against the gas lease ordinance and begins war on the Republican organization by dismissing from office the directors respectively of the departments of public work and of public safety.—Page 1.

The Democratic state convention will name William H. Berry of Chester for state treasurer, if he will accept, and John B. Head will be the only nominee for superior judge.—Page 1.

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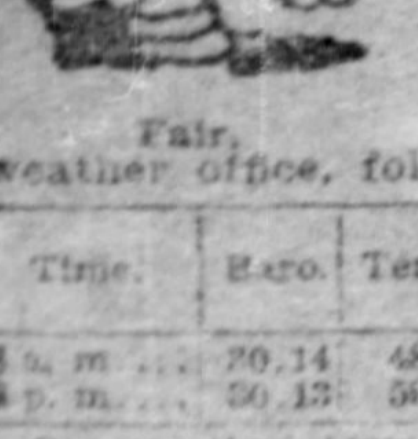
Cleveland has dropped back and Chicago now leads the American league.—Page 9.

Close scores are made in contests between interstate clubs.—Page 10.

FINANCIAL.

New York stocks made a strong rally, later sold off and closed near the lowest. Westinghouse Electric active and strong in Pittsburgh. Wheat made a further advance of over a cent.—Pages 14 and 15.

THE WEATHER



Fair.

Fair and warmer today and cloudy tomorrow are the predictions for Pittsburgh and vicinity furnished by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature in Pittsburgh yesterday was 67 and the minimum 45 degrees. The sun rose clear at 4:55 and set clear at 7:38. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.14	48	61	N.	Clear.
8 p. m.	30.13	59	36	N.W.	Clear.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for May 23.

	1905	1904		1905	1904
Maximum	67	83	Mean	56	72
Minimum	45	62	Precipitation	T.	.15
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	64		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.11	
Dfcy. for day	8		Dfcy. for day	.11	
Exc. since May 1	29		Exc. since May 1	.07	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1	152		Dfcy. since Jan. 1	2.56	

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania and Ohio—Fair and warmer Wednesday; Thursday, increasing cloudiness; increasing variable winds, becoming fresh south.

West Virginia—Fair Wednesday and Thursday.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Chicago	52	Clear	Cincinnati	66	Clear
Cairo	70	Clear	Philadelphia	60	Clear
St. Louis	70	Clear	Washington	60	Clear
Louisville	68	Clear	New York	60	Clear
Baltimore	62	Clear	New Orleans	84	PtCldy
Cheyenne	62	PtCldy	Des Moines	68	PtCldy
Denver	70	PtCldy	Little Rock	72	PtCldy
Pueblo	70	Clear	Galveston	82	Cloudy
Santa Fe	68	Clear	Jacksonville	72	Cloudy
St. Paul	68	Clear	Yellowstone	48	Cloudy

Racing Yachts Are Sighted.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The North German Lloyd steamer Bremen sighted a yacht, believed to have been the Atlantic, 782 miles east of Sandy Hook. The Kronprinz Wilhelm passed the Sunbeam 817 miles east of Sandy Hook yesterday. The Anchor liner Columbia sighted a yacht, believed to have been the Apache, 665 miles east of Sandy Hook yesterday.

WEAVER OPENS CIVIC BATTLE

Discharges Two Directors and Prepares to Fight the Organization.

RETAINS ELIHU ROOT

Gas Lease Brings on One of the Biggest Political Wars in Philadelphia's History.

WILL HAVE WIDE BEARING

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Press Building.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 23.

Mayor John Weaver today severed his connection with the Republican organization. For the remainder of his term, a period of 22 months, there will be a fight to the finish between the administration and the followers of Isreal W. Durham, the Republican leader.

This is the third time Mayor Weaver has made an effort to divorce himself from the political influences which elected him district attorney and afterward chief executive. On the two previous occasions a reconciliation was effected before it was too late, but this time harmony is impossible.

Mayor Weaver yesterday requested Peter E. Costello, director of public works, and David J. Smyth, director of public safety, to tender their resignations. He informed them he expected his request to be complied with this morning. The directors today submitted formal letters of resignation containing the clause, "to take effect when my successor qualifies." This was not satisfactory to the mayor He so informed Mr. Smyth and Mr. Costello, telling them unless they submitted unconditional resignations, he would remove them from office. This they failed to do, and late this afternoon the mayor summarily dismissed them.

Gets Powerful Attorney.

A. Lincoln Acker, a prominent wholesale grocer, was appointed director of public works to succeed Mr. Costello. Col. Sheldon Potter, a leading attorney of the Philadelphia bar, was appointed director of public safety to succeed Mr. Smyth. In this connection the mayor announced he had retained as personal counsel ex-Secretary of War Elihu Root and ex-Judge James Gay Gordon.

Probably the most significant development, in its bearing upon the future, is the retention of Mr. Root. The ex-secretary of war is considered almost without a peer as a corporation lawyer; enjoys a social and political standing, potential in its character, and his services come very high. It is understood the "committee of seventy" retained Mr. Root and placed his services at the command of Mayor Weaver.

Judge Gordon has been for many years the private counsel of John Wanamaker. He is one of the cleverest, most brilliant and most forceful lawyers of the Philadelphia bar. Having followed the political fortunes of Mr. Wanamaker, he has all the necessary knowledge and prejudice necessary to make him a valuable ally in this fight against the Republican organization.

It is explained by the friends of Mayor Weaver it was necessary to go to New York for legal assistance for the reason that the United Gas Improvement Company, as soon as the gas lease situation became acute, retained nearly if not all of the prominent attorneys of the local bar. It is said the legal retinue of the United Gas Improvement Company is very imposing. How many attorneys have been retained by this corporation is not known. They number without doubt more than could be utilized in the most important case, but their retention prevents them being engaged by the opposition.

Is Now a Political Issue.

The issue now is not one of gas but one of politics. Israel W. Durham real-

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STRIKE TURNS TO OPEN WAR

All Hope of Peace Is Abandoned, and Big Fight Spreads.

MILITIA IS READY

Large Consignment of Riot Cartridges Has Been Received for the National Guard.

LUMBER DISTRICT INVOLVED

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, May 23.—All prospects of peace in the teamsters' strike have disappeared, and it will be open war from this time on. The last conference looking toward a peaceable adjustment has been held between James B. Barry, business agent for the Express Drivers' union, and the local managers of the seven express companies. Barry opened the negotiations by saying:

"I want all the men reinstated except those who have been guilty of violence. That is what the local union has told me to demand. The men told me they all want to go back in a body or not at all."

The reply of the representatives of the express companies was:

"Our opposition to the reinstatement of the men will be the same four years from now as it is today. We will not take them back under any circumstances."

This brought the conference quickly to a close.

The spread of the strike today included 462 drivers. By night it is expected the 2,000 drivers employed by the Chicago lumber concerns will be on strike.

With the union drivers employed by the Lumbermen's association on strike, it will be only a matter of a short time until the carpenters, stonemasons and other affiliated organizations are involved.

The possibilities for increased rioting are vastly enlarged by the spread of the strike to the lumber district, which extends along the river. Sheriff Barrett said tonight:

"At the first outbreak of trouble which in any way approaches the rioting we have had, I shall call for troops."

Every preparation has been made for a prompt response by the National guards, and a large consignment of riot cartridges has been received. These differ from the ordinary rifle bullet in that they contain three buckshot each in place of the single steel ballet.

Judge Kohlsaat ordered that 37 men be called into court to show reason why they should not be punished for contempt in violating the injunction of court forbidding interference with the management of the wagons of the seven express companies.

The grand jury today indicted 12 men in connection with the death of Charles Carlstrom, the member of the Carriage Makers' union, who died as the result of a beating he received at the hands of thugs hired by the officials of the union, according to their own story.

WALKS ABOUT 2,500 MILES.

Man Seventy Years Old Travels from Arkansas to Washington County Hunting for Relatives.

WASHINGTON, PA., May 23.—(Special.)—George Simpkins, aged 70 years, formerly of Washington county, left here tonight walking to Fayette City searching for relatives.

He traveled afoot nearly 2,500 miles after the death of his wife less than a year ago from Eureka Springs, Ark., to Florence, in Smith township, and tonight walked to Washington. With him he had a faded photograph of his wife, an old family Bible, and an Arkansas newspaper containing an obituary of his wife. It was reported to him that a sister and a nephew resided in Fayette City. He is penniless.

TO BE CONVENTION'S CHOICE

ANDREW L. HARRIS.

He Will Be Nominated By the Ohio State Republican Convention for Lieutenant Governor.

SPITTERS IN STREET CARS ARE CAUGHT IN THE ACT

Read the Newspapers—If You Don't the Policeman Will Get You.

Policemen last night arrested two men for expectorating in street cars. Charles Schroder, aged 26, of 506 Cirty street, was arrested on a Highland avenue car at Forbes and Brady street and taken to the Central station, where he was charged by Policeman Patrick Kelley with violating a city ordinance. Alexander Cupps, aged 37, of Butler street, was arrested by Officer Charles Wensel on a Center avenue street car and taken to the Center avenue police station. Schroder was later released on a forfeit.

Director Moore yesterday issued orders to Superintendent Wallace to start out 12 plain clothes men to watch for "spitters" on street cars. The men went out at noon, but no one was detected until 8 o'clock last night.

Both prisoners pleaded they should not be arrested as they did not know the ordinance was to be enforced. Superintendent Wallace asked Schroder if he ever read the newspapers and the prisoner said he did not.

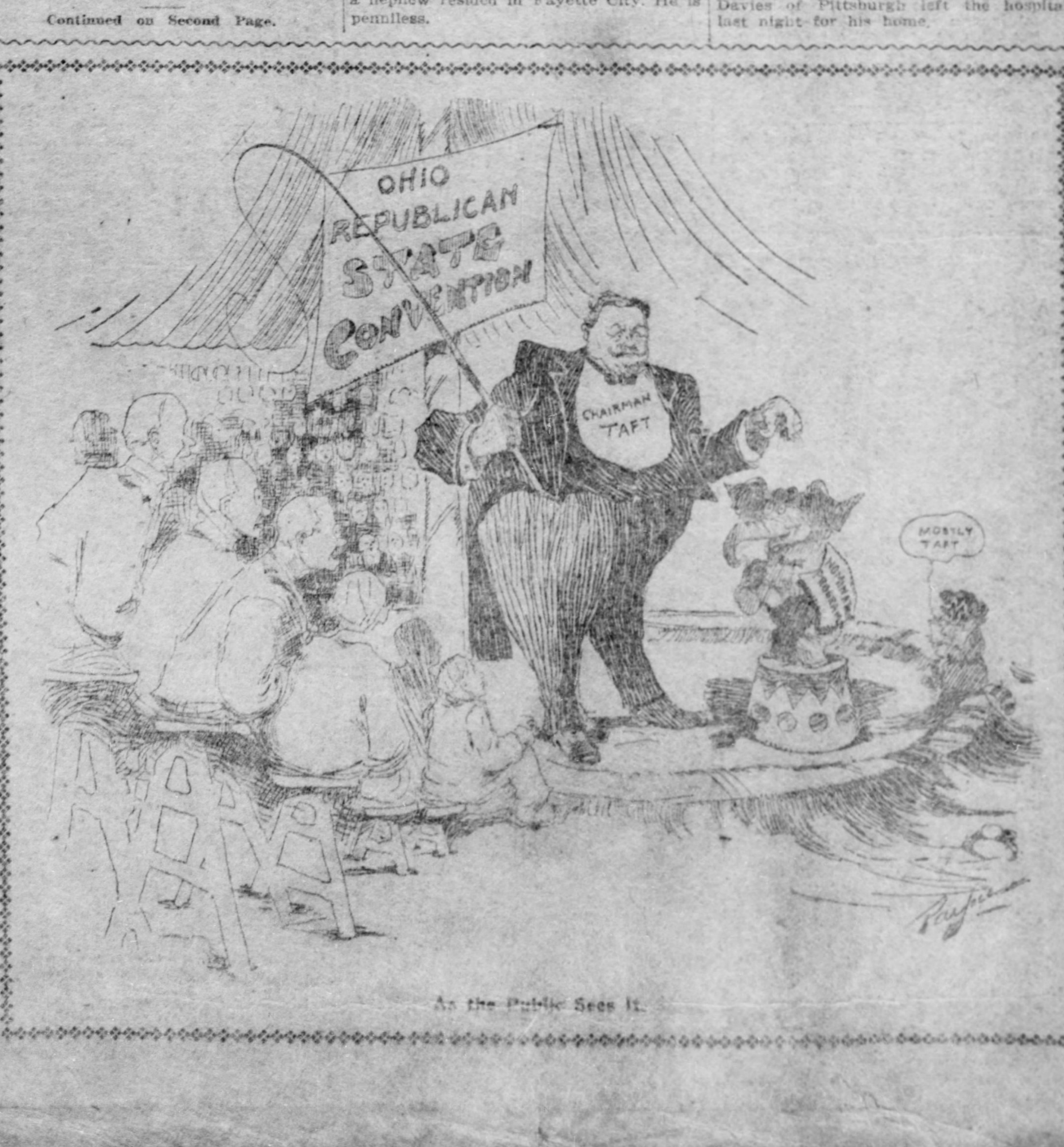
"You deserve to be arrested, then," said Superintendent Wallace.

Supt. of Police Wallace issued an order yesterday to the inspectors of the several districts, which read:

You will notify the patrolmen in your district that any person they see spitting on the sidewalk it shall be their duty to notify such person or persons that they are violating a city ordinance, and should such persons persist or act in a disorderly manner to immediately place them under arrest.

PITTSBURGHERS LEAVE HARRISBURG HOSPITAL

HARRISBURG, May 23.—(Special.)—Only 11 of the more than 100 persons injured in the South Harrisburg disaster on May 10 remain in the Harrisburg hospital and they are all reported to be out of danger. W. E. McMillen and Paul Dinkle, Jr., of Pittsburgh, and James Garman of Allegheny left the hospital today for their homes. James A. Davies of Pittsburgh left the hospital last night for his home.



As the Public Sees It.

PIG LEAD THE CAUSE OF THE RECENT RULING

Brings About the Decision of Isthmian Canal Commission to Buy Abroad.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—It was pig lead and not the United States Steel Corporation which prompted the Isthmian canal commission to buy its supplies from whatever country they could be obtained most cheaply. Despite the reports that the commission had back tracked in its policy, 200,000 pounds of pig lead required in the work will soon be delivered at Colon from England.

The whole question was provoked when Maj. Hugh J. Gallagher, U. S. A., purchasing agent of the commission, received from Merchant & Co. of Philadelphia, who were the lowest bidders at $8,000 for a contract for 200,000 pounds of pig lead, a request to know "if delivery of this lead could be made direct from a foreign country to Colon, to be entered free of duty as being for use in construction of the canal."

Maj. Gallagher laid the matter before Chairman Shonts, who in turn carried it to Secretary Taft. It was then decided that there was no authority by which the character of the supplies contracted for could be restricted to those of American manufacture.

The Commission had recently paid $25 a ton for one lot of 2,500 tons of steel rails and $26.45 for another lot of 2,500 tons to the Maryland Steel Company. The difference in cost was due to the different points of delivery stipulated. The same rails can be purchased abroad for $20 a ton.

WAR DROVE THEM CRAZY.

Junkload of Lunatic Russian Soldiers and Sailors Is Landed at Chefoo for the Voyage Home.

CHEFOO, May 23.—Forty-four lunatic Russian sailors and soldiers from Port Arthur, including a violently insane lieutenant, who was on the Sebastopol during the siege, arrived here today and were immediately transferred to the Russian improvised hospital ship Whampol, under the British flag, for transportation direct to Odessa. All cases are apparently physical wrecks.

The scene was extremely pathetic, as the chattering imbeciles mounted the decks of the steamer and entered cages provided for their liberty and comfort during the voyage. The party includes all cases of insanity appearing in the Russian army and navy at Port Arthur during the war.

JAPANESE FLEET SUFFERS.

Chinese Hear There Has Been Misfortune—Probably Emanates from an Old Report.

GUNSHU PASS, May 23.—A report is in circulation among the Chinese that the Japanese fleet has sustained misfortune, the precise nature of which is not stated.

The report above referred to is probably that emanating from Paris and London early this month to the effect that the Japanese flagship Mikasa had been lost in the straits of Korea, no confirmation of which has been received.

Premier Balfour Calms Statesmen.

LONDON, May 23.—At the opening of the house of commons this afternoon there were prospects of a repetition of the scenes witnessed last night, but Premier Balfour calmed the members by promising a day for the discussion of the vote of censure on the ministers for their statements on the subject of the colonial conference. Sir William Hart almost caused a riot by asking Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman to apologize for his language of the day before, but withdrew his remark.

Empress Is Doing Well.

WIESBADEN, May 23.—Dr. Zunoker has arrived to examine the wound in the empress' head, caused by the fall yesterday. Apparently there is no change for the worse.

Assassin of Sergius Is Hung.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 23.—Kaliaff, the man who assassinated the Grand Duke Sergius, was executed here today. He denied he had asked for a pardon.

WILL OPPOSE CANAL POLICY

Ohio Republican Platform to Stand by American Markets.

STRONG ON TARIFF

Any Effort to Recede from McKinleyism Will Cause Contest in Convention.

FAVORS RIVER IMPROVEMENT

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM
L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

COLUMBUS, O., May 23.—Ohio Republicans will stand by the policy of protection to American industries and the preservation of American markets. Regardless of what construction the public may place upon it, the Republicans of this state decline to indorse the recent announced policy of the administration which contemplates buying in foreign markets ships and materials for the building of the Panama canal, because they can be bought cheaper there than in this country. This will be the most important declaration of the platform to be adopted by the convention which opens tomorrow afternoon.

But it should not be understood that the president will be slighted in the platform. On the contrary he will be lauded for his patriotic devotion to duty, for his personal courage and honesty and for his successful administration. There will be no stint of praise for Theodore Roosevelt, whose popularity in Ohio was testified to last November by the voters of this state who rolled up more than a quarter of a million majority for him, a result never approached before and may never be again.

Would Canalize the Ohio.

Another plank in the platform of great importance to Pittsburgh will be one declaring in favor of the improvement of the Ohio river from Pittsburgh to Cairo by providing a nine-foot stage of water and open navigation the year round. This is part of the scheme for arousing sentiment that has been formulated by the persons interested in bringing about the canalization of the Ohio and the leaders of the party in Ohio have agreed to a declaration in favor of it.

There will be a plank devoted to the railroad rate question, but it will not declare in favor of conferring upon the interstate commerce commission the power to fix rates. It will probably go no further than to approve of such legislation as will prevent the granting of rebates, and will insure to all shippers equal rights over the highways of commerce.

The administration of Gov. Herrick, which has been the object of an attack both by the temperance people and the liquor interests will be heartily indorsed. The party will stand by him and his official acts and willingly submit the question to the judgment of the voters. Other state matters of local importance will be included in the platform so that if the Democrats follow their indicated intention of making the fight this fall upon the state issues, they will not find the dominant party dodging them.

Would Fight Canal Policy.

While everything is harmonious and there is little prospect of a contest of any kind in the convention, yet it is admitted that the situation contains possibilities for a real contest. For instance, if any attempt is made to force an indorsement of the national administration's Panama canal policy or to secure a declaration for tariff revision, the stand-patters will fight the issue out on the floor of the convention if necessary.

Senator Charles Dick arrived here today and brought with him a rough draft of the platform that will be submitted to the committee on resolutions tomorrow. On some matters Senator Dick has no hesitation in expressing his personal views, although he does not presume to put them forth as the ideas that will be embodied in the party platform. When asked for his views on the tariff plank he said: "Ohio is pre-eminently a protective tariff state, as has been shown by its vote every time this question has been before the people. Ohio and Pennsylvania stand at the head of all the states in the Union as protective tariff states, and if the tariff is mentioned at all in the platform, I think the logical thing to do would be to make it a straight out stand-pat indorsement. I believe the majority of Ohio Republicans are stand-patters."

When asked if he thought any of Senator Foraker's friends would attempt to secure the convention's indorsement of him for the presidency, Senator Dick said:

"Of course, I cannot tell what Senator Foraker's friends will do. I believe, however, that this convention will not boom any one person for anything. For my part I think it would be extremely inappropriate. The question is three years off and the echoes of the inauguration have scarcely died away."

Secretary Taft will arrive from Washington in the morning and until he gets here the state leaders will not have any intimation as to what he intends to say in his speech as permanent chairman.

SIBLEY WOULDN'T ACCEPT.

So States When Asked Regarding Postmaster Generalship—En Route to Portland, Ore.

MEADVILLE, May 23.—Congressman J. C. Sibley today said regarding the use of his name in connection with the postmaster generalship, "I have not an ungratified political ambition, and I would not accept any position, elective or appointive. I would not accept the position of governor of my own state, even if it came to me without a contest."

Mr. Sibley was en route to Portland, Ore., as a member of the congressional committee to attend the opening of the exposition, following which, with another committee he will make a tour of Alaska.

GUFFEY SLATE IS MADE UP

Treasurership Nomination May Be Thrust Upon W. H. Berry.

PLAN TWO BALLOTS

Second Roll Call Will Be Necessary to Name Head for Superior Bench.

WILL BE BUT ONE NOMINEE

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM
WALTER J. CHRISTY, Staff Correspondent.

HARRISBURG, May 23.—Col. J. M. Guffey arrived in Harrisburg this afternoon and soon completed the program for the Democratic state convention to put through tomorrow. He has slated this ticket.

SUPERIOR COURT JUSTICE—John Benedict Head, Greensburg.

STATE TREASURER—Mayor William H. Berry, Chester.

It will require at least two ballots to nominate the candidate for superior court justice. The Democrats have to pay $250 for the use of the Lyceum theater tomorrow, and as Col. Guffey cannot leave for home before midnight, he is disposed to get the worth of his money and does not care how many acts there are in the performance. Mr. Head will have about 100 votes on the first roll call and can be nominated any time afterward that the string is pulled.

The nomination of Berry for state treasurer is conditional on his acceptance. He was put forward today by Representative W. T. Creasy and may not agree to go on the ticket. Berry is a manufacturer in Chester and was elected mayor of this city last February. He was a strong advocate of William J. Bryan.

Allegheny to Vote for Head.

In the caucus of the Allegheny county delegation tonight, D. F. Patterson suggested he would like to see some complimentary votes given to his friend, R. W. Irwin of Washington. There was considerable discussion, but the delegation finally decided to support Head. W. J. Brennen was chosen chairman and will cast the vote. Mr. Patterson is a native of Washington and an old friend of Mr. Irwin. The Washington man had expected four votes from Allegheny.

The Democrats are trying to get encouragement out of the Republican party in Pennsylvania and are doing much predicting about the success of the Democracy next year in the contest for governor. They are circulating a report that the Republican organization in Philadelphia will ask the governor to call an extra session of the legislature for the purpose of ripping Mayor John Weaver out of office. Bromley H. Wharton, private secretary to Gov. Pennypacker, says the story is absurd.

Representative J. G. Harman of Columbia county has been selected for temporary chairman of the convention and J. Thompson Baker of Lewisburg will be permanent presiding officer. James S. Moorhead will present the name of Mr. Head; Col. W. T. Mechling of Butler will perform the duty for former Judge Calvin Reyburn of Kittanning, and John C. Bane will make the nominating speech for Mr. Irwin.

Contest for Three Nominees.

While a fight will be made in the convention for three nominees for superior court justice, the votes will be overwhelmingly in favor of the selection of one nominee. Senator Grim and Representative Ammerman are the leaders in the movement to have the convention nominate three candidates.

Judge Smith is also anxious that a trio of men be named. Ten years ago there were six nominations and Smith used the Irish secret societies to good advantage and won, defeating Judge Christopher Magee of Pittsburgh.

Grim and Ammerman have the cooperation of Senator J. Henry Cochran of Lycoming. There is a suspicion that Cochran is desirous of causing any trouble he can for Col. Guffey. John H. Fow of Philadelphia, a close friend of ex-Judge Gordon, is busy spreading the three candidate doctrine. Fow is not a delegate. The three-plan crowd has gotten out a circular tonight addressed to the delegates.

Charles Donnelly of Philadelphia, John F. Ancona of Berks, William T. Creasy of Columbia and R. W. Irwin of Washington are among the men who are working with Col. Guffey and the Allegheny delegation to have the convention nominate one candidate. The combination is strong enough to control the convention about three to one. Mr. Irwin is a candidate for judge, but is strongly opposed to making more than one nomination. Judge Reyburn made this reply when asked how he stood on the proposition:

Speaks for Himself.

"From a party standpoint I am favorable to one nomination, but personally I am for three, if I cannot be the one. That probably sounds selfish, but I believe in being plain spoken."

The Head managers are counting on at least 98 votes on the first ballot. These counties are said to be pledged to him:

Allegheny, 59; Beaver, 2; Bedford, 2; Cambria, 7; Clarion, 2; Clearfield, 4; Clinton, 2; Delaware, 3; Elk, 4; Erie, 4; Fulton, 1; Indiana, 1; Jefferson, 2; Juniata, 1; Lawrence, 2. Lebanon, 3; McKean, 2. Mercer, 4; Northumberland, 6; Perry, 2; Potter, 1; Snyder, 1; Somerset, 1; Tioga, 1; Union, 1; Warren, 1; Westmoreland, 7; York, 12.

Mr. Irwin says that he will have Washington and Greene counties with a total of 7 votes. Judge Reyburn will have Armstrong and Butler with a total of 4 votes on the first ballot. He is hopeful of receiving the support of Jefferson's two delegates, but they are said to be pledged to Head.

The eastern candidates, Judge Peter P. Smith of Lackawana, John A. Ward of Philadelphia, Senator Arthur G. Dewalt of Lehigh, Senator Webster Grim of Bucks, Representative R. Scott Ammerman of Montour, Judge W. E. Little of Wyoming and O. H. Bechtel of Schuylkill, have not added much to the strength accorded them yesterday. Ward will be second on the first ballot with the 51 votes from Philadelphia.

Candidates Under Cover.

Fayette county is supposed to vote for some favorites on the first ballot. The name of the candidate has not been uncovered. Crawford county will give a complimentary vote to E. Lowrie Humes of Meadville and then the three delegates will go to Head. Fayette is supposed to be promised to Head. The vote of Blair will go to Judge Smith.

At the caucus of the Allegheny county delegates, W. J. Brennen was elected chairman and J. N. Wampler and B. H. J. Carnegie secretaries. These committee appointments were made: Resolutions, W. H. S. Thomson, W. J. Brennen, James A. Craik and C. B. Payne; permanent organization, Henry Meyer, Cornelius Casey, John F. O'Toole; credentials, D. F. Paterson, T. Dunn, Jr., James E. O'Donnell, John A. Blechner. Nicholas A. Bendel of Pittsburgh will be sergeant-at-arms of the convention. Earl McClintock of Allegheny has been selected as a page.

There will be nothing for the committee on credentials to do. There is not a contest and a Democratic convention without a fight over its members is a rather tiresome gathering. There is so much harmony promised that even John T. Lenahan and John M. Garman of Luzerne are said to be in accord. In 1896 at the Reading convention Lenahan was thrown through the bass drum. Since then he has allowed his hair to grow long as a protection against an unexpected call to assist the orchestra.

Some Populistic Notions.

Warren Worth Bailey, the fighting Democratic editor of Johnstown, wants the convention to adopt a plank in its platform declaring for the adoption of the initiative and referendum in disposing of legislation. The Cambria and Blair county delegations are pledged to support the plank and Representative Creasy is scheduled to make the fight for the adoption. Creasy will also ask the convention to urge the enactment of legislation permitting trolley companies to carry freight.

Senator Dewalt is issuing a pamphlet entitled "Judicial opinions regarding Arthur G. Dewalt, Lehigh's candidate for superior court." It happens that four of the judges quoted in his behalf are dead. Three of the jurists have not been in the land of the living for three years, and the other one has been dead four years. These testimonials were gotten for use on some other occasion and are made to do service now.

The platform was prepared tonight at a conference of plankmakers. Pittsburgh was represented by Controller John B. Larkin and W. J. Brennen. Mr. Brennen will probably be chairman of the committee on resolutions. The platform blames the Republican party with all kinds of improper conduct in the last legislature. There is tender made of the Democratic organization to the "outraged citizens of Philadelphia who have been bereft of their property and franchises by the machine." The candidate for state treasurer is pledged to remedy imaginary abuses in the state treasury.

LUTHERANS CLOSE SPRING CONFERENCE

Strong Addresses Are Delivered by Prominent Ministers of the Pittsburgh Synod.

The spring conference of the Pittsburgh synod of the Lutheran church, after a session of two days, was brought to a close last night in the Christ Lutheran church, Wilmerding, with an address on "What Is Clean Money?" by the Rev. J. B. Markward of Wilkinsburg, and an address by the Rev. J. E. Bittie of Turtle Creek.

The evening session was opened with prayer services, conducted by the Rev. C. A. Boory of Millvale, the Rev. H. M. Leach of Charleroi, and the Rev. Matthew S. Kemp of Turtle Creek.

Strong addresses of deep interest to the delegates were delivered in the afternoon by the Rev. W. A. Hartman of Wheeling, W. Va., on "Christian Sociability and Personal Evangelism," and by the Rev. W. L. Heuser of East McKeesport, on "Revival Methods According to Lutheran Ideas." The afternoon devotional services were conducted by the Rev. W. C. Spayd.

In the morning the devotional services were led by the Rev. W. H. Nicholas of Grace church, Allegheny. One of the features of the entire conference was the address by the Rev. Samuel Schwarm of Wheeling, W. Va., on "The Operation of the Holy Spirit Through the Means of Grace." The Rev. William Guss spoke on "Regard for the Rubrics in Our Liturgy." Practically all the 45 ministerial and 45 lay delegates were present yesterday.

CREMATORY FOR MORGUE.

Coroner Thinks It Will Be Less Expensive Than Burial.

Coroner Armstrong has asked the county commissioners to establish a crematory furnace in the morgue for disposing of all unclaimed bodies. It is thought the commissioners will approve the plan, as it will be less expensive to cremate bodies than to bury them.

During 1904 over 500 bodies were unclaimed. These were interred at the Highwood cemetery at a cost of over $6,000. The minimum cost of burying a body is something over $12. A crematory can be operated for about $1,000 a year. When the morgue was built provision was made for a crematory, but former Coroner McGeary did not approve of cremation and the crematory was not constructed.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, May 23.

New York—Furnessia, from Glasgow; Kronprinz Wilhelm, from Bremen; Bremen, from Bremen; Republic, from Naples; Prinz Adalbert, from Naples.

Sydney, N. S. W.—Miowera, from Vancouver, via Honolulu and Brisbane; Ventura, from San Francisco, via Honolulu and Auckland.

Lizard—Amsteldyk, from Newport News for Amsterdam.

Naples—Prinz Oskar, from New York for Genoa, and proceeded.

Lizard—Lancastrian, from Boston, for London.

Kinsale—Iberian, from Boston, for Manchester.

Glasgow—Astoria, from New York; Corinthian, from Montreal and Quebec.

London—Minneapolis, from New York.

Antwerp—Finland, from New York, via Dover.

Cherbourg—Kaiser Wilhelm II., from New York, via Plymouth, for Bremen, and proceeded.

Gibraltar—Peleus, from Tacoma, via Yokohama, Hiogo and Shiogna, for Liverpool.

Browhead—Majestic, from New York, for Queenstown and Liverpool.

Sailed, May 23.

Liverpool—Carthaginian, from Glasgow, for Philadelphia, via St. Johns, N. F., and Halifax; Ivernia, for Boston, via Queenstown.

Ponta del Grada—Romanic, from Genoa, Palermo and Naples, for Boston.

Naples—Germania, for New York.

Marseilles—Gallia, for New York.

Genoa—Nord America, for New York.

Christiania—Oscar II., from Copenhagen, for New York.

Havre—Sardinian, for Montreal.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Lillian Russell opera company in "Lady Teazle." 8 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Herrmann, the Great, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

BIJOU—"The Black Mask," 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—"Me, Him and I." 2 and 8 p. m.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Rocereto's concert band, afternoon and evening.

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This is the appropriate title of a booklet just issued by the Pittsburgh Bank for Savings, Pittsburgh, Pa., that is well worthy of perusal. It is handsomely illustrated, and one of the most interesting booklets that has come to our notice for some time. The bank will gladly mail a copy of this booklet to those persons interested in saving money and who will mention this paper.

$1.50 to Ohio Pyle, Decoration Day, May 30. Special train leaves Baltimore & Ohio station, Pittsburgh, 8:10 a. m.

BRIEF STATEMENT IS NOT A CREED

General Assembly Refuses to Substitute It for the Westminster Confession.

CHURCH UNION IS POSTPONED

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM
The Rev. S. S. Gilson, Staff Correspondent.

WINONA LAKE, IND., May 23.—The "Nassau overture," which asked the Presbyterian general assembly to make its "brief statement the creed of the church," was knocked out this morning by a unanimous negative vote, without discussion. At the same time the assembly voted down the Westminster overture, which wanted the Nassau presbytery censured for harboring the Rev. Samuel Carter, who renounced the Westminster standards.

The Rev. Dr. Duncan J. McMillan of New York had strong resolutions against Mormonism and Senator Reed Smoot unanimously adopted, amid great applause.

A careful canvass of opinions shows the general conviction is, now that the subject has been postponed for a year, union with the Cumberland Presbyterian church will not be accomplished. A message was sent to the Cumberland assembly announcing that the Presbyterian assembly had "taken every step now possible to complete organic union," and had postponed further action for a year. The matter of union with the Colored Cumberland Presbyterian church was placed in the hands of the committee on church union and co-operation, which will report next year.

Harlan's Project Taken Up.

The project of Justice John M. Harlan to build a great Presbyterian church in Washington city, in the nature of a cathedral, had its first inning today. The committee on the proposition recommended the appointment of a committee to confer with the Presbyterians of Washington city, to which the business properly belongs. Chancellor Henry M. McCracken approved the plan in an address. Opposition developed, and the report was docketed for another discussion tomorrow morning.

The elaborate ritual of forms and ceremonies, containing scores of prepared prayers, has been distributed throughout the assembly, and when it comes up for discussion there will be warm opposition.

Justice Harlan goes from here to Louisville, where, on June 1, the Bar Association of Louisville will give him a dinner in honor of his 72d birthday anniversary.

The boards of home missions and aid for colleges had their annual hearing today, the Rev. Dr. John Dixon speaking for the former, and the new secretary, the Rev. Dr. James Stewart Dickson, speaking for the first time before the assembly in the interest of the latter. Dr. Dickson laid out work of great length and breadth for the new board, but Moderator Moffat made a sensation when he warned the assembly that breadth at the sacrifice of concentration would kill any board. Dr. Moffat held that if the new board is to be only a general committee on Christian education, that with it should be united the board of education, Sunday school work and even the evangelistic movement.

Social Organization Wanted.

The assembly voted to name a committee of five to consider a request from Ohio Presbyterians that a general organization be formed to include all men's societies in the church, and to hold national conventions. The assembly next year will receive the committee's report.

Dr. John F. Hendry of Jefferson City, Mo., presented the report of the board of home missions. The board is out of debt. It received $867,016 last year, expended $866,000, and on April 1 had over $40,000 in the treasury. The board is especially working among foreigners who come to the United States. The work of women in connection with the board was commended. The woman's board raised $474,800 last year. The committee asked that the churches give the board $100,000 for the coming year, or 15 per cent more than was asked for last year.

A resolution was adopted that sub-committees be appointed to make a systematic study of the entire industrial problem in their respective localities. These committees are to co-operate with the newly organized workingmen's department. In addition, Presbyterian churches in every city are to establish close relations with organized labor. The board asked permission to name a special field secretary to help in this effort.

Labor Problem Faces Church.

The Rev. Charles Stelzle, labor representative of the Presbyterian church, spoke on the report of the home mission board. He said socialism and trade unionism are questions which the Presbyterian church must consider in dealing with union workers. Socialism, he said, is becoming a substitute for the church for thousands of workingmen.

The Rev. John Dixon, assistant secretary of the home mission board, said the board cannot get the right kind of men for mission work in Alaska, Dakota and Porto Rico. The western United States, he said, is the hardest mission field to work in the world.

Great restlessness has been shown in the assembly two or three times at the undue amount of time given to outside causes, and to men not members of the assembly. Most of the speaking has been done by the latter. A motion was made this afternoon to cut down the speeches of the secretaries and chairmen of committees and allow commissioners a chance. Lecturers and various professional people have pushed themselves to the front.

It is hoped to adjourn the assembly next Saturday, although many commissioners will leave Friday.

Philadelphia, Saratoga, Columbus, O., and Des Moines, Ia., want the next meeting. The Ohio city is offering to entertain the wives of home missionaries free, as an inducement for the selection of Columbus as the next meeting place.

REFORMED SYNOD TAKES STAND ON DIVORCE

Orders Ministers to Marry None Except Innocent Persons—Mission Societies Elect Officers.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

ALLENTOWN, May 23.—The general synod of the Reformed church has adopted nearly nearly the entire constitution. A number of amendments were added mostly of an unimportant nature. One provision of the new instrument is that "a minister shall not unite in marriage a divorced person, who is known to have been the guilty party in a divorce decree granted on the biblical ground."

The board of foreign mission today elected these officers: President, the Rev. Dr. James I. Good; vice president, the Rev. Dr. J. H. Prugh; secretary, the Rev. Dr. A. F. Bartholomew; treasurer, J. I. Lemberger; field secretary, the Rev. A. V. Casselman. The executive committee is to be composed of these officers and the Rev. Christopher Noss and J. M. Appel.

The new board of home missions elected these officers: President, the Rev. E. R. Eschbach; vice president, the Rev. C. E. Miller; secretary, the Rev. Paul S. Leinbach; treasurer, G. W. Stein; treasurer of church building fund, C. M. Bausch; executive committee: Messrs. Eschbach, Miller, Leinbach, Ebbert and Bausch.

C. P. ASSEMBLY VOTES TO JOIN PRESBYTERIANS

FRESNO, CAL., May 23.—By a majority of 27 the Cumberland Presbyterian General Assembly today adopted the majority report, declaring for union with the Northern Presbyterian church.

Will Confer on Union.

FORT WORTH, TEXAS, May 23.—At today's session of the general assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church, the committee on closer relations with other Presbyterian churches recommended the assembly continue the committee and authorize its conference with similar committees of other churches.

WEAVER OPENS BATTLE

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izes this. He declines to be quoted, but through close personal friends his position is outlined. The program of the organization is to stand "pat."

One week from next Thursday, councils will meet. At that time the mayor's veto will be received. It is the intention to override the veto. The organization claims it will have as many votes at the next meeting of councils as it had when the ordinance was passed, and this claim is not disputed. So far as is known, not a single councilman nor ward leader has evidenced any disloyalty to the organization. No one can tell, however, what may happen in the next ten days.

The mayor and his friends believe that, by the organization of the new cabinet, composed of anti-organization men, and wholesale dismissals of assistant directors and sub-department heads, they will be able to force a sufficient number of councilmen into line to sustain the veto. While civil service regulations are something of a barrier, the mayor has sufficient power to remove from office practically every high-salaried man in the employ of the city.

Approve Mayor's Course.

Long-headed politicians tonight credit the mayor with having used splendid judgment in his initial move. It was expected he would have named practical politicians for the directorships of public works and public safety. It was predicted ex-Sheriff Crow would fill the latter position, and ex-Postmaster Hicks would be selected for the former place.

But the mayor fooled the prophets. His selections cannot be censured. In the person of Mr. Acker he has chosen one of the most substantial business men of the city, and there was never a breath of criticism or reflection upon the integrity of Col. Sheldon Potter, who has been appointed director of the department of public safety. Mayor Weaver is being well-advised so far as his apointments are concerned. He has named men known and respected by the business and social circles of Philadelphia.

Col. Potter and Mr. Acker have been instructed to assume office tomorrow morning. They both intend do do so. Directors Smyth and Costello will endeavor to prevent this. Both Smyth and Costello submitted a conditional resignation, containing a proviso that it was only to be effective when their successors qualified. The Bullitt law requires that the appointment of directors shall be confirmed by select council. This confirmation could not take place until the next meeting of councils and as the organization controls councils, there is no possibility of a confirmation.

Will Hold Their Offices.

It is said Smyth and Costello will appear in their respective departments tomorrow morning. It is also announced they will not relinquish their portfolios to the men appointed by Mayor Weaver as successors. Costello and Smyth are not only carrying out the wishes of the organization, but are acting under legal advice. It is possible they will ask for an injunction restraining the mayor from declaring their offices vacant and the installation of their successors until there has been a judicial ruling on the question whether they shall serve until their successors "qualify."

Not within the past two decades has there been a political storm of such magnitude as that which struck Philadelphia this morning. The features of the gas lease, the respective merits of the two propositions for an extension of the lease, and all other relative subjects were lost sight of in the conjectural maze of political sequence. In the span of a moment the issue was transferred from the commercial to the political phase.

It was instantly realized the Republican organization of which Senator Penrose and Israel W. Durham are the head, was face to face with the fight of a lifetime. Not only must it face all of the reform elements, splendidly financed, which have fought it for the last eight years, but it must meet and defeat the administration which it placed in power and which controls the patronage so necessary to the life of a political party in a city like Philadelphia.

Effects Will Be Far-Reaching.

No man can predict the outcome. One who minimizes the possibilities is not clear of vision. There is no mistaking the power vested in the mayor if he chooses to exercise it to the limit. There is every indication he intends to do so. The effects must be far-reaching no matter what the result may be. They will not only effect Philadelphia, but they will have a bearing throughout the commonwealth.

The gas plant has been a "hoodoo" to politics since it became a political asset. McManus, the old-time leader, found it a Waterloo. David Martin, at one time supreme boss of the city, was shuffled down and out shortly after he consummated the present lease. And now the organization of which Israel W. Durham is the head—the strongest, most successful organization in the United States—has invited a battle which will test its strength to the uttermost because it has indorsed an extension of the lease of the gas corporation.

There is but little doubt that councils will make negative the mayor's veto. The members of that body are placed in a position where they will gain nothing by a reversal of their action. Some of them may do so, but the fact may be discounted that the number will not be sufficient to influence the final result.

Then the matter will be transferred to the courts. The organization, as well as the U. G. I., is advised by counsel that the extension of the lease cannot be successfully attacked. This may or may not be true.

Cause of the Trouble.

The lease which is the cause of all this trouble is not a good one for the city of Philadelphia. The corporation has all the best of it. Still its bid was the best submitted. The organization decided it must have about $50,000,000. By extending the lease it was able to secure half of this sum. By issuing bonds up to the constitutional limit, about $15,000,000 more will be available. Such financing will be of some immediate use, but it will impose a burden upon posterity.

The extension of the lease from the time of its first announcement was very unpopular. Sentiment against it increased with great rapidity. Few understood the situation, but the fact did not diminish the opposition. The organization had gone too far to recede. A back-down would have displayed a weakness which might have been as injurious as the consummation of the contract.

As a further evidence of his intention to give no quarter to the organization, the mayor today suspended A. R. H. Morrow, assistant director of public supplies and leader of the Twenty-sixth ward. He also informed every ward leader who holds a city position that they must declare their intention to support the administration, or be ready to hand in their resignations within the next 48 hours.

More Resignations Coming.

The resignations, it is said, will be forthcoming. There was some thought that ex-Senator David Martin, Mr. Durham's predecessor as leader of the Republican organization of Philadelphia, would join hands with Weaver in his fight. The prediction was without basis in fact. Mr. Martin today reiterated his allegiance to the organization and said he would stand or fall with it. It was also said Coroner Dugan might fail to follow Mr. Durham. This tonight is denied.

David H. Lane declared today that the mayor and his colleagues will be unable to work any serious injury to the organization. Mr. Lane suggests the mayor is being badly advised, that he is ungrateful to those who have elevated him to office, and that the effect of his course will react most strongly upon himself.

The committee of 70 has rented the Academy of Music for next Friday night. The plan is to have a demonstration of citizens in support of the mayor's attitude toward the gas lease. As indicative of the commercial sentiment of the city to the pending proposition, it is significant that Mayor Weaver, when he went to the Union league for lunch today, was cheered and generally felicitated by his fellow-members.

Letters of Dismissal.

Mayor Weaver's letter of dismissal to Directors Smyth and Costello was as follows:

> I feel that the best interests of the city require that our official relations shall terminate at once. You, therefore, place me under the painful necessity of immediately removing you from the position, as I feel that I must have some one in that office responsible only to the mayor and to the city at once.

The department of public safety has charge of the police and fire bureaus, electrical bureau, prisons, building inspectors, boiler inspectors, city property and inspectors of fire escapes. The bureaus of gas, highways, lighting, surveys, street cleaning, water and city ice boats, are under the supervision of the department of public works. Each director receives $10,000 a year and together they have control of 10,000 officeholders.

Assistant Director Morrow is greatly incensed over his suspension. This afternoon he wrote a letter to Director Shoyer, in which he says:

> Under the provisions of the city charter, relating to appointments and removals, I am entitled to a statement of the reason for such suspension. I am moved to ask you this because the charter provides such suspension shall not be for political reasons, and you have made it clear to me, in your several conversations of the last few days, that it was for political reasons only I might expect such action on your part. In substance and effect, on Saturday, you told me I might expect drastic action in case I failed to influence the councilmen of the Twenty-sixth ward by Monday against the lease, thus approving in principle what you have always condemned in theory, viz: the influencing of legislation by those not members of the legislative body.

Citizens Hold Mass Meeting.

The mass meeting tonight was large and enthusiastic. The principal address was delivered by Col. Potter, the new director of public safety. Among other things he said:

> I find myself tonight called upon to take part in the administration of what I may term a new government for the city of Philadelphia. This new government will be for the people and not for a few contractors who handle our millions. We face the most unscrupulous men that ever undertook to plunder a community, and if we be men we will fight them until we have driven them out of the city.

Resolutions were adopted to support the mayor in his fight, inviting councilmen to embrace the opportunity presented to sustain the mayor in his coming vote, calling for a march of citizens to city hall Thursday of next week, when councils will act on the mayor's veto, demanding that United States Senator Penrose, Commissioner Durham, Senator McNichol, Councilman Segar and President Thomas Dolan and Vice President Randall Morgan, of the United Gas Improvement Company, desist in their efforts to pass the gas lease.

BRADLEY HOME WILL BE DEDICATED NEXT MONDAY

Donors to Be Represented by Mrs. P. D. Perchment—Special Trains to Run.

The formal dedication of the Elizabeth Bradley Home for Homeless Children at Hulton, Pa., will take place next Monday afternoon. Mrs. P. D. Perchment, who, with two sisters, Mrs. E. H. Utley and Miss Belle Bradley, bought the home, will make the presentation speech and Mrs. C. W. Smith will accept the home on behalf of the Women's Missionary society of the Pittsburgh conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

The Rev. Dr. Daniel Dorchester, Jr., pastor of Christ Methodist Episcopal church, president of the board of trustees of the home, will preside at the exercises. The Rev. Dr. J. T. Murray will offer the invocation and the Scripture reading will be by the Rev. Dr. George W. Terbush. The Rev. Dr. James Mechen will make an address. Benediction will be offered by the Rev. S. T. Mitchell. A special train leaves Union station at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and returns at 5 o'clock.

Donations for the equipment of the home will be part of the exercises. Arrangements have been made to accept eight children into the home immediately after the dedication. A reception will be held during the afternoon and no doubt there will be a large attendance of those who are interested in this exceptionally worthy benevolence.

The officers of the board of trustees are: President, the Rev. Dr. D. Dorchester, Jr.; vice president, A. M. Schoyer; second vice president, Mrs. Annie M. Brickell; secretary, Mrs. Edward M. Balsinger; treasurer, James H. Horner. The home will be governed by a board of 20 trustees, elected by the Women's Missionary society of this conference. The home was given by the donors with this proviso that the society raise $15,000 for an endowment fund. The fund is raised and the home will be in use after Monday.

PROTESTS AGAINST THE ENGINE HOUSE SITE

Loud protests come from the citizens of the Morningside district of the Eighteenth ward against the selection by the city administration of the engine house site in Stanton avenue, in what is known as the Sunnyside district, and at a mass meeting last night in the Morningside school strong resolutions were adopted asking the city authorities to select another site. A committee was also appointed to present the resolutions to select council, which is called to meet this afternoon to pass the ordinance authorizing the purchase of the Stanton avenue site.

Hidden Treasure Thieves Caught.

MADRID, May 23.—The police have captured a band of thieves who for years have been working the Spanish hidden treasure swindle in America and Europe.

THE RUSSIAN ARMADA HAS ENTERED PACIFIC OCEAN

Report to This Effect Causes Conference to Be Called at Japanese Premier's House in Tokyo.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

TOKYO, May 23.—An important conference was held at the residence of the premier in this city today. It is reported the Russian armada has gained the Pacific, and that the receipt of this news was the cause of calling the conference.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 23.—No direct advices have been received from Vice Admiral Rojestvensky for 10 days. The report of Rojestvensky's death was ridiculed at the admiralty. A semi-official announcement issued tonight says: "Vice Admiral Birileff has been appointed commander of the Pacific fleet with authority as commander of an independent force."

The news from the front continues to point to the imminence of a renewal of fighting on a large scale. Gen. Linevitch is pressing the Japanese center both on the line of the railway and on the Mandarin road.

All the Russian sick and wounded who were at Harbin and places south of there have been transported westward to Irkutsk and orders have been given to clear the intervening hospitals. The sanitary trains have also been ordered to the front.

LONDON, May 24.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Morning Post says he learns from a trustworthy source that Vice Admiral Togo's fleet is still off Masampho, on the southeastern coast of Korea. The Tokyo correspondent of the Daily Telegraph cables that the railroad to Vladivostok has been severed, as the result of which the fortress is isolated.

GAIN IN EARNINGS OF U. S. STEEL CORPORATION

Little Under $15,000,000 So Far This Quarter, Compared to $9,990,000 Last Year.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—The net earnings of the United States Steel Corporation for the first six weeks of the present quarter are estimated at little under $15,000,000. This compares with approximately $9,990,000 for the corresponding period last year, and with $19,490,725 net earnings for the entire second quarter of 1904. The total net for May was $6,256,516 and for June, ordinarily the best month in the year, $6,270,374.

This year both May and June will show net earnings in excess of $10,000,000 unless the present inactivity in pig iron should later extend to finished products. There seems now no danger of this and conservative predictions of not less than $30,000,000 net this quarter seem well based.

On this basis the net earnings for April, May and June this year will total $10,500,000, or at the average rate of $3,500,000 a month more than the second quarter of last year.

SATISFIED WITH RATES.

W. C. Magee of Pittsburgh Testifies Before the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The senate committee on interstate commerce today closed the hearings on the regulation of railway rates but will devote the remainder of the week to consideration of a plan of report and other suggestions to facilitate proceedings when congress reassembles. It is not expected that any determination will be reached immediately bearing upon the nature of the report.

W. C. Magee, a coke shipper at Pittsburgh, and A. B. Johnson of Philadelphia, representing the Baldwin locomotive works, told the committee they were satisfied with present conditions and wanted no additional legislation. F. D. Henderson, representing business men of Cumberland, Md., said the coal shippers of western Maryland were charged 15 cents a ton more to the seaboard than the railroads charged on coal 50 and 75 miles farther away.

CHURCH HOME ENCOURAGED.

Allegheny Evangelization Union Secures $7,500 as Anniversary Offering Toward New Institution.

At the celebration of the eleventh anniversary of the Allegheny Evangelization union in the North Avenue Methodist Episcopal church last night, $7,500 was subscribed toward the building fund of the proposed $50,000 institutional home which is proposed to be erected in the First ward, Allegheny. The Rev. Dr. C. C. McCabe, a member of the board of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal denomination, was the principal speaker. He asked for $10,000 toward the institution fund and called for subscriptions of $1,000 each to be paid in five annual installments. George W. Pusey headed the list with $1,000 and was followed by A. M. Schoyer and L. E. Umsted, who gave similar amounts. A. D. Wilson and J. P. Knox each gave $500, and a dozen or more persons donated $100 or more each.

Cincinnati Has Much-Wanted Man.

Detective Supt. McQuaide last night received word from the Cincinnati police that Anthony Schultz, wanted here for attacking a 14-year-old girl during March, was under arrest in that city. Schultz was arrested here at the time of the offense and gave bail for a hearing. He left the city and his bail was forfeited. Supt. McQuaide has been making every effort to locate Schultz, having notified the police throughout the country to watch for him.

Blacksmith Dies in Fire.

BEDFORD, May 23.—(Special.)—With the head burned from the trunk and one leg off at the knee, the little that was left of the body of James B. Miller, a blacksmith of Rainsburg, was found in the blackened ruins of his shop at an early hour this morning. Miller was 50 years old and leaves a widow and three children. He had been sleeping in the shop.

The Quays Sail for Europe.

NEW YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—Passengers sailing today for the Mediterranean on the Cunard line steamship Slavonia included Mrs. J. A. Quay, Miss Katherine Quay and R. Stanley Quay of Pittsburgh.

NEW JIM THE PENMAN MAKES HIS APPEARANCE

Either That, or Check Cleverly Raised Is Work of One of Five Expert Forgers Drawing Pensions.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—So cleverly had a check which made its appearance in the Tombs court today been altered, detectives say there are only five known men in the country, if not in the world, capable of doing the work. These five men are in receipt of a regular pension from the American Bankers' association, in return for which they have agreed to refrain from exercising their unlawful and dangerous talents.

All of these forgers have been kept under surveillance for years, and the police say it would have been next to impossible for any of them to have altered the check without their identity becoming known. They are convinced, however, either this has been done, or that a new and unknown "penman," equal in every way to the most accomplished forgers of the past, has begun work in this city.

Frank Clifton, a bartender, was arraigned in the Tombs court today charged with attempting to pass the check, which had been raised from $110.58 to $2,800. The police are convinced that even if Clifton had any guilty knowledge regarding the check, he was only a tool for the real criminal. The finished check was done so cleverly that the official of the Second National bank on which the check was drawn certified it without question when it was presented several days ago.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CONVENE.

The Hon. William J. Diehl of Pittsburgh Will Be Chosen Grand Commander.

WILLIAMSPORT, May 23.—The state grand commandery, Knights Templar, met in the auditorium of the Scottish Rite cathedral this afternoon. Mayor Seth T. Foreman delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by Grand Senior Warden William J. Milligan, of Mary commandery, of Philadelphia. The balance of the session was behind closed doors. Tonight, a reception was given to the grand commandery in the cathedral, and in which the Templar quintet of Pittsburgh participated.

It is generally conceded that John F. Laedlein of this city will be elected grand junior warden and Hon. William J. Diehl of Pittsburgh grand commander. Pittsburgh will probably be selected as the meeting place for the next conclave.

TRUNK ON THE BOULEVARD.

Taken from Her Home Without Noise While She Was There.

Policeman Campbell Thompson last night found a trunk that had been broken open and abandoned in the Grant boulevard, near Washington street, and had it taken to Central station. Lieut. Myers found papers in the trunk which led him to believe it was the property of Mrs. Anthony Fraraccio, who keeps a store and boarding house at 610 Sixth avenue.

The woman was taken to the station house and identified the trunk, which had contained her jewelry and money. All were gone, $250 in cash, a lot of rings, watch chain and a bank book which shows an account of $1,000. The trunk was on the third floor, and the woman says she was home all evening and did not hear anybody carrying it away.

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Miss Nellie Vander Wiele, of Lakeside, N. Y., writing under date of April 18, 1904, says: "I do wish you would publish this letter in the newspapers, so that others suffering as I have may see it and be helped. I suffered for many months with an awful skin disease, sores covering my ears, neck, and cheeks. Scabs would form and they would swell, and itch day and night. Then they would break open and blood and matter run out. I had tried many different remedies, but none of them did me any good. I was growing worse when I tried the Cuticura Remedies. The first application helped me, and when I had used two cakes of Cuticura Soap, three boxes of Cuticura Ointment, and three bottles of Cuticura Resolvent, I was completely cured."

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ORK IS BEGUN ON SHIP CANAL

al Company Formed to Build Waterway Between Ohio and Lake Erie.

RVEYS ARE BEING MADE

ctive operations have been begun in building of the Lake Erie & Ohio ship canal. A company of local italists incorporated under the laws Pennsylvania and Ohio three weeks has three corps of engineers in the making the preliminary surveys. Over ,000 capital stock has been subscribed ground will be broken for the pro- within 12 months.

imoltaneous with the completion of government improvements in deepen- the channel of the upper Ohio and Erie canal in New York, the con- ing link which will form the water- system between the Ohio valley and great lakes will be realized. Rapid k is promised, and it is declared that ts drawing 12 feet will make the pas- through the proposed canal within years. This will provide a continuous roughfare for water transportation n the Hudson river and the lakes to Gulf of Mexico.

he formal announcement of the or- ization of the new company was made night by John E. Shaw, president of corporation. It was stated that the lication of this fact had been delayed order that the engineers would have greatest latitude in locating the best tes.

liminary Surveys Near Completion.

he preliminary surveys are expected be completed before the end of the nmer. The work of the engineers is er the supervision of George M. Leh- n, who had charge of the field work the canal commission 10 years ago. several weeks draughtsmen have n at work in rooms in the Keystone lding upon the blue prints of the plans. he officers of the company are: President, John E. Shaw; vice president, orge A. Kelly, Jr.; treasurer, William Jones; secretary, Burd S. Patterson; ef engineer, George M. Lehman. The ectors are Henry Buhl, Jr., Edward J. oyd, George W. Stewart, Charles A. gan, James W. Wardrop, Emil Swens- n, William J. East, Thomas P. Roberts, lliam I. Jones, George A. Kelly, Jr., hn E. Shaw and Burd S. Patterson.

On May 4 a charter was secured at rrisburg through Fagan & Magee, the mpany's solicitors. At the same time Ohio charter was secured at Colum- s. It is probable that a portion of canal will traverse several of the rtheastern counties of the Buckeye ite, and it may be decided to locate northern terminal in that district ar Ashtabula.

Pittsburghers Are Incorporators.

The following persons are named as in- rporators: Edward J. Lloyd, president the Merchants and Manufacturers as- ciation; George A. Kelly, Jr., of the orge A. Kelly Company; William I. nes of the Pittsburgh-Buffalo Coal mpany; Henry Buhl, Jr., Col. Thomas Roberts, William J. East of Muller East, architects; Burd S. Patterson, orge W. Stewart of Stewart Bros. & .; Emil Swensson, Charles A. Fagan the law firm of Fagan & Magee; George Lehman, James W. Wardrop, secre- ry and manager of the Merchants and anufacturers association, and John E. aw.

The estimated cost of the canal is $25,- 0,000. The act of 1895 requires that capital stock of the company shall $25,000 for each mile of the canal oposed to be constructed, of which at ast $5,000 a mile must be subscribed. he distance from the mouth of the Bea- r river to Lake Erie is 105 miles, and capital stock of the company for eliminary purposes has been made $2,- 5,000. This amount will be increased soon as the company begins the work breaking ground. The requirement of ,000 of the stock for every mile shall subscribed, was complied with before charter was taken out.

Surveyors Maintain Secrecy.

Within a week after the charter was cured Engineer Lehman's transit men arted out under orders to maintain the ost absolute secrecy in their work. In his they succeeded well, and for the st 10 days rumors of new railroads and ranch trolley lines were floating on ery wind in the Shenango and Beaver alleys. The engineers were working on oth sides of the Beaver river. Their akes were marked "O. R. L. E. S. C." nd there was much speculation as to he meaning of the long abbreviation. o inhabitant of the valley interpreting he letters as the initials of the new ompany. To those who grew inquisitive nd questioned the engineers regarding he purpose of the survey, the transit nen jocularly replied that they were 'mapping out the course of a new river."

In the meantime there were many re- ports of land deals in the valley, and ow it is stated that the members of the anal company and many of their friends ave secured options on great stretches f land which will be greatly enhanced n value by the improvements.

Mr. Shaw said last night that it had een agreed to make the canal a depth f 12 feet. This will conform with the easurements of the Erie canal when he present improvements are completed.

Support from the Government.

He said that a nine-foot stage in the Ohio to Cairo was assured from the gov- ernment, and that the private enterprise n building the canal would have the support from the government which would increase the depth of the Ohio between Pittsburgh and Beaver to 12 feet, by placing higher wickets on the present dams.

Effective agitation of the canal to Lake Erie began in 1889 when the Pennsylva- nia legislature appointed a commission to inquire into the practicability of such a waterway, and appropriated $10,000 for its use. This commission, representing a state movement, sought for a canal within the boundaries of Pennsylvania. A route was reported via the Beaver and Shenango rivers to Conneaut Harbor at a cost of about $30,000,000. In 1893 a provisional committee was organized in Pittsburgh to inquire into the feasibility of the same project. Subsequently a fund of $40,000 was raised and three corps of engineers were placed in the field, headed by Col. T. P. Roberts.

Since that time there has been little cessation of the agitation for the great waterway, and the matter was carried to congress. At a dinner given by the Merchants & Manufacturers' association several months ago, the hint was given out that the canal opened the way for private enterprise, and from that event dates the life of the corporation which has now proceeded with the work.

ORDERS FOR DUQUESNE POST TO OBSERVE MEMORIAL DAY

George M. Gray, commander of Duquesne post No. 259, Grand Army of the Republic, issued the orders yesterday that will govern that organization on Memorial day. The post will assemble in Union Veteran Legion hall, 227 Fifth avenue and march to Fifth avenue and Grant street, where it will join the general column. At Allegheny cemetery special services will be held at the grave of Capt. Benjamin F. Jennings, late a member of the post. Since its organization Duquesne post has lost 41 members and the graves of all of them will be remembered. Most of these dead are buried in Allegheny and Homewood cemeteries, but some of the dead lie in Cleveland, in Philadelphia, West Virginia and Virginia. Next Sunday night the post will attend the Fourth Avenue Baptist church, assembling in the hall of post 3 and accompanying the latter organization.

Change of Time on Monongahela Division Pennsylvania Railroad.

In addition to the trains already in service, a new train has been established between Pittsburgh and Brownsville, leaving Pittsburgh at 9:15 a. m., arriving Brownsville 11:00 a. m.; returning, leaving Brownsville at 12:05 p. m., arriving Pittsburgh at 1:55 p. m. New trains will be in service on and after May 29, 1905.

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TREATING HABIT IS CONDEMNED

German Catholic Societies Hold It Is Contrary to the Custom of the Fatherland.

MASS MEETING FOR DELEGATES

At the afternoon session of the German Catholic societies of Pennsylvania in session in Allegheny, the principal business yesterday was receiving reports of standing committees. The reports were of minor importance, except that of the committee on resolutions, which in its report dealt with several questions of importance to the German Catholics throughout the country.

The treating habit was severely condemned and declared to be contrary to German custom and was not known to the Germans when they came to this country. Belonging to societies and organizations not approved by the Catholic church, the desecration of the Sabbath day, mixed marriages and the demand of the parochial schools for a part of the school fund were among the resolutions adopted by the convention.

One resolution declares that while the members love the great American republic and its citizens, they also love the fatherland and the language, manners and customs they have inherited, they glory in the success of the German Catholics in the fatherland, while they deplore the conditions of the church in France and the persecutions it has been subjected to by the government.

A resolution was adopted recommending that the state organization ally itself with the Central verein, provided no risks to the widows and orphans fund shall be incurred. The Rev. Father Alexander Aschebert, S. J., of Cleveland, delivered an address on the necessity of the state federation allying itself with the Central verein.

The delegates attended pontifical high mass in a body yesterday at 9 a. m. at St. Mary's church, Liberty and Nelson streets. Bishop Canevin, the celebrant, was escorted to the church by the delegates and attending priests. Father Aschebert preached the sermon.

A mass meeting was given at Allegheny Carnegie Music hall last night for the delegates by the local society and the president, Louis Seethaler, presided. President Seethaler made the address of welcome and was followed by Bishop Canevin, who spoke in English on the benefits of the German Catholic societies in the Fatherland and in the United States. The history of the societies, he said, was a conquest for civil rights and education. Religion and education, he said, the Germans have realized more than any other Catholic church, go hand in hand to make Christian citizens.

The Rev. Father Hugo Paff, O. S. B., Ph.G., of Wilmington, Del., delivered an address on "The German Catholic Home." A mixed chorus of 125 people under the direction of Prof. John S. Fogel sang in German, "How Lovely Are the Messengers." Peter Wallroth, editor of the "Stellen Banner," of Evansville, Ind., spoke on "The Catholic as a Citizen," and Michael F. Girten of Chicago spoke on "Catholic Organization."

Joseph H. Reiman, president of the state league, read the resolutions adopted at the afternoon meeting, and the Rev. Father John Otten, C. S. Sp., spiritual advisor of the league, made the closing address. The chorus and audience then sang "Holy Lord, We Praise Thee," and the meeting was adjourned.

A solemn requiem mass will be offered in St. Mary's Catholic church, Allegheny, this morning for the deceased members of the state league. The Rev. Father Anslem will deliver the sermon.

"TECH" COMMITTEE WILL DECIDE ON PLANS FRIDAY

Plumbing, Heating and Lighting Contractors Will Then Receive Specifiications for the Great Work.

The Carnegie Technical schools committee of the Carnegie institute board is called to meet Friday for the purpose of deciding finally on the plans for the plumbing, heating and lighting of the home of the schools.

At this meeting Palmer & Hornbostel, architects for the schools, will submit a list of contractors in each line and to these will be sent specifications for the work. As 10 days' time will be given to prepare bids, the tenders will be received June 5 and will at once be opened. If possible the successful bidders will be announced on that date.

Most successful work is being done on the construction of the schools' home. The contractors, the Wells Brothers Company, have a great deal of the steel up and yesterday granite was being placed. By securing an option on practically the entire hauling capacity of the city, the contractors have done quick work in hauling the material from the Shadyside station on the Pennsylvania railroad to the site.

Burglar Scare in Oliver Avenue.

An incandescant light in the confectionery store of L. A. Butler went out at 2:45 this morning and Officer Ewart, who patrols the beat, summoned Officers Sullivan and Wise and made a thorough search of the building, even ascending to the roof. No trace of an intruder could be found.

Named for President of Cuba.

HAVANA, May 23.—The National Liberal convention today nominated Jose Miguel Gomez, governor of Santa Clara province, for president, and Senator Alfredo Zayas for vice president.

NOTE:

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WHY THE RAILROADS RUN A PRESIDENT'S SPECIAL

Agent Declares It Is Done Solely to Prevent inconvenience to Travelers on Regular Trains.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, May 23.—General Passenger Agent Lynch of the Big Four road threw new light today on the question why railroads run a president's special train.

"The popular idea is," said he, "that the railroads desire to cater to the federal administration. As a matter of fact, railroads carry the president in a special train because the chief executive may not be carried on a regular train, as it would handicap the general operation of the road and work a hardship on the traveling public. The fact he was a passenger could not be kept secret, and at every station and crossroads there would be a crowd demanding to see and hear him make a speech, causing a delay of 10 or 15 minutes at every station.

"The president's special train inconvenlences no one, and the roads would rather go to the expense of running a special train free than subject the traveling public to the annoyance unavoidable if the president were carried on a regular train."

TARBELL GROWS ANGRY.

NEW YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—For nearly five hours today Gage E. Tarbell, second vice president of the Equitable Life, paced the floor of the directors' room answering questions concerning his conduct of the society's agency department, his cash advances to general agents, and the charges made by H. H. Knowles, that Tarbell had not only rebated himself, but had winked at the practice in other agencies since he assumed his present office.

The questions were put by State Insurance Superintendent Francis Hendricks. It was said that in answer to Mr Hendricks' inquiry whether Tarbell had not advanced to General Agent McNamee of Albany $45,000 in two installments just before the convention of agents was called, Mr. Tarbell made at first an emphatic denial. Then, when the circumstances of the transactions were more explicitly given, the second vice president threw aside all reserve and entered into a personal altercation with the superintendent of insurance regarding his right to ask questions involving matters which have for years been regarded as simply routine in the conduct of the Equitable agency department.

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A special lot Women's $3.50 fine patent colt Shoes, in new spring styles, in lace and button, medium and light weight soles —your choice........ $2.90

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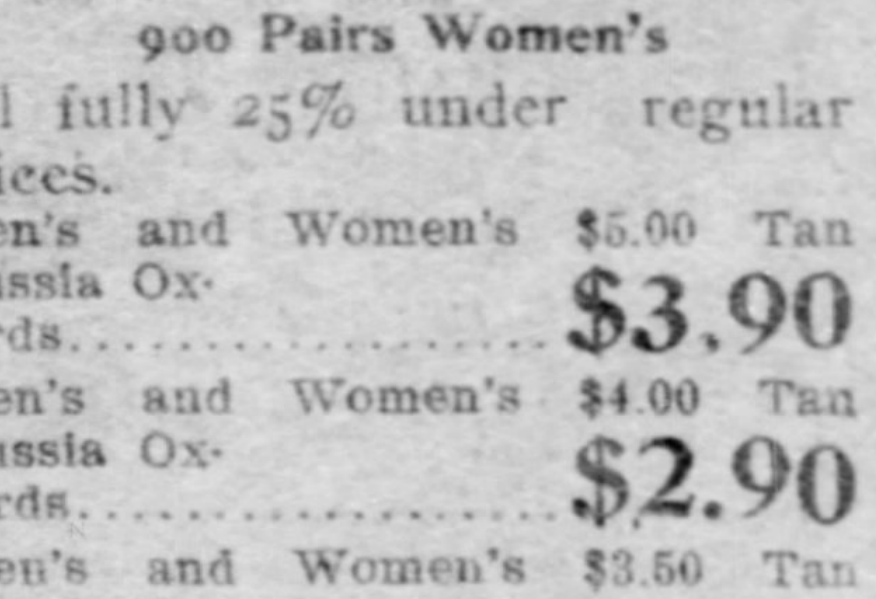

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Now, it is but natural that you receive the above with some grains of allowance—take as many grains as you want, but don't pass judgment on the efficacy of the invention until you see it, and you can see it at work any time in our Housefurnishing Department, West Basement.

Swiss Spot Voiles, 25c a Yard.

They were imported at 40c a yard.

Late last evening 3,000 yards of these Swiss Spot Voiles arrived and will be ready today at Imported Wash Goods section, main floor, West. White grounds embroidered in pretty contrasting colors.

As delightful and summery a material as any woman could wish for. We didn't import them, but we got them from an importer who did—he brought over too many—hence the quarter dollar price.

PENN. FIFTH. CECIL.

GAZETTE CLASSIFIED ADS PAY.

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Department of Public Works,
Allegheny City, May 23, 1905.

SEALED PROPOSALS—Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the city controller, until 2 o'clock p. m., on Monday, June 5, 1905, for doing the following work:

SEWERS.

For the extension of the Western avenue sewer, Fifth ward, from the terminus of the present sewer to the harbor line.

For the construction of a public sewer on McClure avenue, Eleventh ward, from Girard street to Moore alley.

For the construction of a public sewer on Seibert street, Eleventh ward, from Stayton street to connect with present sewer on street.

For the construction of a public sewer on McDonald street, Eleventh ward, from Woodland avenue to Brighton road.

For the construction of a public sewer on Orleans street, Fifteenth ward, from a point at the southern end of Viola street to Delaware street; thence along Delaware street to connect with Perrysville avenue sewer; sewer on Orleans street to be laid along the entire east sidewalk and on the west sidewalk from Viola street to Viola street, to connect with sewer on east sidewalk.

For the construction of a public sewer on Peebles street, from Montana avenue to Boundary street; thence along Boundary street to B. Barker's west line; thence through the property of B. Barker and parallel with the city line to Butchers run, near the township road.

For the construction of a public sewer on Robinson road, Seventh and Fourteenth wards, from Homer street to Edwin Miles' property.

GRADING.

For the grading of McIntyre avenue, Tenth ward, from Elwood avenue to Lyons avenue.

GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING.

For the grading, paving and curbing of Walck avenue, Eleventh ward, from California avenue to Fleming avenue.

For the grading, paving and curbing of Hazel street, Thirteenth ward, from Forest street to line of property of Augustus Beckert.

Plans and specifications can be seen and all information obtained at the office of the superintendent of the bureau of engineering and surveys.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond with two sureties probated before the city controller, or a bond of a surety trust company which has complied with the ordinances of councils for furnishing bonds for city contracts, bonds to be in the sum of one-half the estimated cost of said work.

The mayor and the director of the department of public works reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Proposals will be opened publicly in the office of the mayor at 2:30 o'clock p. m., Monday, June 5, 1905.

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Mayor.
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Director Department of Public Works.

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Wednesday, May 24, 1905.

The kaiser's recent Morocco parade was a strong hint to England and France, which is having its effect. Those nations are about concluding an important agreement as to their mutual interests in Abyssinia and it is announced that it will be submitted to Germany for her consent.

The Colorado railroads have received their share of the money paid by President Roosevelt for his fare during his recent trip. The Pennsylvania railroad received his check for the entire expenses of the trip and has apportioned it among the various roads. This puts the president in a position of conspicuous independence of favors from the corporations he is endeavoring to subject to public control.

Interstate Commerce Commissioner Fifer made a good point when he argued before the senate committee that the existence of the powers desired by the commission would diminish the necessity for their exercise. But to ensure this all restraints should be removed upon joint action by the railroads to maintain rates. The anti-pooling provisions of present laws are inconsistent with the principle of the pending legislation.

Negotiations for settlement of the Chicago strike are off, according to an official statement by Sheriff Barrett of Cook county. A request for state troops is in the hands of Gov. Deneen at Springfield, and the sheriff says they will be sent the moment he telegraphs they are needed to preserve order. It may be doubted they have already been withheld too long, but mayor and sheriff have both desired to exhaust every other resource first.

Tips and tipping will be discussed by the national organization of waiters now in session here. Doubtless the waiters would prefer ample salaries to eking out an income from the uncertain gratuity. The matter may be left, however, to adjust itself. There is no law to compel the giving of a tip and the man who resists the custom can quit the place where he is annoyed by the obvious expectation that he will be generous.

August W. Machen has pleaded guilty on another charge of defrauding the government and has been given an additional two years to serve in Moundsville penitentiary. There are yet some of the postoffice department cases to try, but enough have been disposed of to demonstrate the completeness of the government's case and the unrelenting firmness with which the president has pressed them.

A most shocking state of affairs is disclosed by the revelation that rewards were offered by a police commissioner at Jitomar for the murder of Jews. It was known previously the police authorities did nothing to prevent the massacre, but it had not been suspected they took so active a part in fomenting the trouble. Russia can not expect the respect of other nations while such crimes go unpunished, yet the Kishenef case inspires no hope that justice will be done to the Jitomar monster.

Incorporation of the Lake Erie and Ohio River ship canal and subscription of the stock to the amount of $600,000 gives the project a business standing. The tonnage of the Pittsburgh district passing to and coming from the lakes is enormous. The canal will sometime be necessary to handle it. This and the fact that it would tend to regulate railroad charges explain the motive for creating a waterway that will fit in excellently with the improvement of the Ohio river to a nine-foot channel.

Although no action will be taken by the president in response to the appeal for a government investigation of insurance, it is said at Washington that the bureau of corporations of the department of commerce and labor has been looking into the matter for the past six months with a view to ascertaining the expediency of national regulation. The Equitable affair presents a strong argument in that direction.

Mayor Weaver Declares War.

The passionate controversy over the Philadelphia gas lease has culminated in open war between the mayor and city council, in which the executive patronage is being openly employed to overawe and control the legislative body. Mayor Weaver has removed the chiefs of two of the principal city departments upon the avowed ground that they were supporters of the city council and antagonistic to his own policy, which is one of unalterable opposition to the gas lease ordinance passed by councils. It is his intention to veto that ordinance, and his sensational use of his authority over the offices is due to his discovery that councils would not sustain his veto and that they have had the active support of the principal members of his own cabinet in that position.

The rupture is the beginning of a great political struggle that will convulse Philadelphia and will react powerfully upon state politics. The various elements of opposition to the regular organization will rally to the standard of the mayor, whose control over many thousands of official positions makes him formidable. Even reformers, who are in theory opposed to the use of executive patronage for legislative coercion, have no constitutional objections to raise when it is used for a purpose they approve.

The struggle will be an interesting one, full of constitutional importance and fraught with great consequences.

The Decline of Parliament.

The venerable "mother of parliaments" itself is showing signs of the degeneracy which visibly afflicts her children and which creates grave doubt as to the permanency of the parliamentary type of government. Since 1814 the example of England has spread parliamentary institutions all through Europe, but already they seem to be decaying, so that they fail to give orderly and dignified expression to the national will and have become rather the arena of faction fights as heedless of national interests as of personal decency of behavior. There have been incidents in the house of commons which have pointed to similar tendencies, and that they are at work is now fully shown by the outbreak of Monday night in which the decorous traditions of the house of commons broke down, and the session became a disgraceful shindy.

This break-down of dignity took place under the strain of the false situation created by Premier Balfour's efforts to retain power by ignoring the real issues of the times. The old party divisions between Unionists and Liberals have been effaced by the fiscal issues raised by Mr. Chamberlain's protectionist movement, and Premier Balfour is now governing by a dwindling majority, which no longer represents public opinion. He is showing great political dexterity in avoiding the issues in which the nation is now chiefly interested, and the opposition is employing every possible expedient to force them upon him so that he will be forced to dissolve parliament and consult public opinion at a general election. The exasperation produced by his evasiveness was the immediate cause of the collapse of all parliamentary decorum, but that it should give way under any stress of feeling is an unmistakable sign of decline in the character of parliament and of decay in the system of government of which it is the exponent.

A Military Rehearsal.

The army and navy war exercises this year will go over the scenes of the Chesapeake campaign of 1814, the most disgraceful in our national history, when 5,000 British troops marched 50 miles through a populous country, scattered a force of 7,000 militia gathered to oppose them, and captured Washington, President Madison and his cabinet fleeing to escape capture. The craven spirit in which the battle was fought by the forces of the national government is disclosed by the order given by the commanding general to the artillery, which was "when you retreat, take notice that you must retreat by the Georgetown road." When the same British force attacked Baltimore they met with a different reception. State and municipal authorities acted with energy. The militia were well posted behind intrenchments and after an encounter in which the British commander was killed, the British retreated. The struggle gave to the nation "The Star-Spangled Banner," some of whose lines commemorate the lack of patriotism in the politics of the period.

Great progress has been made since then in the military organization of the nation, but Chesapeake bay still remains a weak point in national defense. Penetrating deeply into the Atlantic seaboard, close to the national capital and to a number of large cities, it would be an inviting mark for attack if ever that sudden dash of a punitive expedition should be made which has been the subject of calculation by the general staff of the German army. Doubtless the intelligence departments of more than one foreign army contain careful military studies of the Chesapeake. Hence it is a specially fine field for the war exercises to be begun on June 11. The scheme is to go through the movements of the attacking and defending forces of 1814, bringing modern naval and military science to bear upon the problems presented. An attack will be made upon the bay forts, and upon the defenses of Washington and Baltimore, and effort will be made to work out the strategy of the campaign as carefully as in real war.

This sort of thing is called the war game, but it is liable to be played in earnest some day, and we must be prepared to play it so that come what may there shall never be a repetition of the inglorious campaign of 1814.

Ohio and Taft.

National attention is directed toward the Ohio Republican convention which meets today. This is not because there is any doubt about the result in Ohio nor because any diverting issue is involved in the state canvass. It is simply that William H. Taft, secretary of war, the man recently left by the president "sitting on the lid," is to preside over the convention and make a speech. It is thought Secretary Taft may outline the policy of the national administration for the near future and perhaps that he may say something sensational.

Some persons have assumed that Secretary Taft is to sound the "key note for 1908." Hardly. That date is so far away the note would be likely to be lost before the chorus could prepare to take it up. Mr. Taft's keynote will be for immediate use. It may include some authoritative declarations upon national policy, but above everything else it will be the opening of the Ohio state campaign. Secretary Taft is of Ohio. Presiding over a Republican convention in Columbus he is an Ohioan. He will be on familiar ground, less than a day's journey from his home in Cincinnati, and it is reasonable to expect that what he will say is intended more for George Cox, Joseph Bonner and the rank and file farther east in Ohio than for the men of other states.

There is no question about the renomination of Gov. Myron T. Herrick. He will have as his running mate for lieutenant governor, Gen. A. L. Harris. There will be no warm contests over places on the ticket and, though Ohio campaigns are always fervid, there is no doubt the result will be the election of every Republican candidate. Secretary Taft will contribute to that end.

Castro's New System.

A Venezuelan writing in the Outlook describes a new elective system introduced by President Castro, which possesses a simplicity enviable to political bosses who are at times put to considerable trouble in counteracting the impulses of public sentiment. The old way in Venezuela was for the administration agents in the various localities to call meetings of citizens and instruct them how to cast their votes. Bolters were well aware that the jail stood ready to receive them and unanimity was the rule. But even as thus simplified it was found that elections caused an unnecessary loss of time. The new system avoids this and relieves the citizens of all trouble by leaving it to the civil or military chief of each locality to send in election returns for the entire community. Zeal in behalf of the administration is shown by making the list as extensive as possible, so that returns not only include all living inhabitants, but many inhabitants of the grave yard as well, and the living are no more consulted about the matter than the dead, it being assumed that all take pride in Castro's administration and are happy to give it their support.

This plan has merits which commend it as an adjunct of the boss system of government everywhere. It would save a lot of friction and expense. There would be no need of opening headquarters or tapping other quarters; no need of scattering railroad passes among independent voters or of issuing orders to city employes. The police might be spared to walk their beats on election day, and the firemen could be on hand at fires. Besides, there would never be any chance, however remote, that the decent citizens might go to the polls in sufficient numbers to oust one ring to put in another and thus make trouble and expense for tributary corporations.

This admirable system—copyright, 1905, by Cipriano Castro—is in fine, the perfect development of tendencies which in this country are struggling for mastery, but find effectual limitations in a public sentiment which when fairly aroused compels the submission of rings and bosses.

The Rev. Hugh O. Pentecost claims to have so far evolved on his way to complete freedom of soul that right and wrong have ceased to have any meaning. He says he has learned this by going back to nature, and that is where it may be found—among the brutes.

A Fayette county lady found a nice pair of new shoes, just her size, in her back yard the other day. Later she learned the heel of one was loaded with high explosives. Officers are looking for the donor so the lady may pay her compliments to him.

When the frost is on the pumpkin
And the fodder's in the shock,"
Is a cheerful song and merry.
It is diff'rent in the mornin'
And most doleful is the shock
When the frost is on the cherry.

Some one has started the story that young Rockefeller objects to the way his father made his money, that he will abandon business and live abroad. On "tainted money," of course. There is no limit to sensational nonsense.

An anti-graft mass meeting is scheduled by the federation of churches for Saturday. Possibly Hay Philips may attend to hear if anyone is libeled.

Baron Rosen can make a hit if he comes with assurance that Russia will not enforce the maximum tariff against American goods.

Senator Foraker is too busy to attend the Ohio Republican convention and, apparently, the convention is too busy to notice it.

Admiral Rojestvensky is reported dead, but the Russian admiralty believe the report is greatly exaggerated.

Lively competition between the railroads for Wheeling business is likely to increase that business.

It can truthfully be said for the summer resorts they are not chillier than it is at home.

Twenty-eighth street station will go to join Brushton next week.

Secretary Taft looms large as life at Columbus and growing.

At this writing James B. Head is still a Head.

Light frost is predicted. For a change? No.

QUIET OBSERVATIONS

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Look not upon the wine when it
Is red within the cup,
But summon all your native grit
And boldly drink it up;
Or if on this constructive act
The sage grammarian frown
Hold fast to the substantial fact,
And blithely drink it down.
For naught to him can signify
What Lindley Murray thinks it,
Who, having wine, and being dry,
Incontinently drinks it.
—William Winter.

It all depends on point of view,
Or how one scans or sees it;
Sometimes we don't, sometimes we do.
We melt it or we freeze it,
The difference is in degree,
In much or little of it;
And whether it is you or me
Looks under or above it.
—William R. Moore.

It is on points like this that some teachers spend a good deal of time that might be devoted to something of much greater value.

But then we need just such persons, for without them we might grow more careless in the use of words than we are, which would be too bad, entirely.

It is the chap who is likely to catch you up who makes you afraid to be careless. He is liable to catch you in a crowd, or anywhere, for he seems to take delight in holding you up every time you make a mistake.

This fellow is not nearly as great a bore or pest as his cousin who makes wrong application of your words, thus making your sentences ridiculous, if not indecent. This is great fun for him, and there are nearly always those around to laugh at his silly cracks. He is sometimes a punster—nearly always.

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It is just as easy to speak correctly as not, or easier, for it is all in the way we are taught, and not altogether in our knowledge of grammar.

A child that never hears language used incorrectly will always use it correctly. It won't know how to use it otherwise.

And it is very easy to direct children in the use of language for they are very sensitive on this point. All that is necessary is to correct them when they speak incorrectly. It is not necessary to lecture, or to scold or to find fault, but merely to call attention to the error.

The Hopedale Normal school, in Eastern Ohio, was noted for its success in making practical grammarians. While the majority of the students were well booked in grammar only a few of them spoke correctly, which was due to habit.

In the boarding clubs each member was constituted a critic, and was permitted to call attention to an error by any member at any time or place. This was done by simply repeating the word that had been misused. At the beginning of a session there would be a constant rapping going on, but in the course of two or three weeks raps would be far between, and before the session was half over you would rarely hear one, which meant the correct use of words in conversation.

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It isn't the mere drilling of grammar into the head of the individual that enables him to speak correctly, but inducing, or causing him to use the knowledge he possesses.

As a rule, most persons write more correctly than they speak, which means that they are careless in their talk.

And then, grammar, as it is taught, does not appeal to children. They commit their lessons, but go right on speaking incorrectly. You will probably concede that this was your own case; and when you come to think it over you may discover that you are permitting your children to grow up in the same way.

Were teachers to organize their schools into critic clubs, and encourage their pupils to note all errors in speech, and to show a personal interest in the work by cheerfully deciding all questions brought to their attention, it would not be long until we would have grammar taught practically in our schools, instead of being taught theoretically, and perfunctorily.

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Practical schooling is what the times demand rather than frills and furbelows. Fine school houses, artistic school rooms, and attractive methods are all right in a way, but they are not the whole thing. Theorists, as a rule, are most impractical. You may have noticed that some who have elaborate theories for rearing children have the very worst boys and girls in the whole community. And so with many other theorists; they can tell you how it ought to be done, but can't do it.

This recalls the old story of the man who ripped out a few unorthodox expressions when he struck his thumb instead of the nail he was driving. Turning to his boys, who were surprised at his language, he said: "Don't do as I do, but as I tell you."

Now and then a school man bobs up who can do things, and he is certain to have a goodly following. The desire to do things seems to be innate in man, and from infancy to old age he is ever on the outlook for something to do.

One of the school men most prominent in the public eye at present is Cap Miller of Keokuk county, Ia. His idea is to bring out that which is in the child—educate it, bring it out, so it can grow according to its individual lines. He doesn't believe in making a preacher out of a boy who was born to be a shoemaker.

There are too many "shoemakers" in the pulpit, at the bar, and in congress, don't you think?

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Dr. Winship of the Educational Journal has been out to see Cap (that is his right name, and not a military or steamboat title) and he tells of his achievement in the matter of linking the home and the school; that is, supplying the missing link.

"There is not a village of more than 1,500 in the county, and, of course, no cooking school, but Cap Miller, as county superintendent, got a jeweler in Sigourney, the county seat, to offer a prize of a beautiful pin to the school girl in the county that would make the best loaf of bread at home and bring it to a county exhibition of out-of-school school work.

"Practically every mother in the county had to get busy teaching her daughters how to make bread. Daily hundreds of homes were having better bread than usual. Girl were talking of bread making to and from school and at recess.

"By and by each school district had an exhibition of the bread the girls had made, and those who were ahead of the others were chosen for the township contest. Then all the schools of the township held a competitive bread contest, and those who clearly led the rest were chosen to enter the county contest. The eventful day came. From every township in the county bread made by school girls was brought in, and an expert committee passed upon it, and the winner wore the lovely pin home.

"The next day, from her far-back farm home, she baked a loaf of angel cake and sent it to the Sigourney jeweler, who in return sent an even more beautiful piece of jewelry. I wish I could add a bit of romance, but there is no evidence that a ring followed, but a hundred school girls in the county are known as good bread makers, and their names got in the county paper.

"One fool pedagogue to whom this story was related asked how this was correlated with arithmetic and grammar. Give it up. But the whole county is enthusiastic over the public schools, and the spelling and number work, and composition writing are vastly better than they were before Cap Miller got the public as well as the teachers out of the ruts of the pedagogical growler who still insists upon going slow."

TALKED OF IN GOTHAM

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Asleep on the sands at Sea Gate, a broken doll clasped in the arms of the little girl, 14-year-old Florence Peterson of Highbridge and George Bernell, 17 years old, of the Bronx, with whom she eloped last Sunday, were found this afternoon by Policeman Brown, of the Coney Island station. A general alarm had been sent out for the children by their parents, and as they had often talked of going to Coney Island, the resort had been watched closely.

For a pillow the girl had placed a sample case belonging to her father, who is a traveling salesman, under their heads, and the golden locks of the child mingled with the towsled shock of her boy sweetheart. By the side of the girl was her big brown sailor hat, while her sailor coat, with bright brass buttons, lay over them for a blanket. The policeman shook them. The children sat up, blinking in the sunlight.

"You must come with me," said Brown. The lips of the girl trembled and tears welled up in here eyes, but the boy manfully demanded to know "what for." He gave in, however, after the policeman had talked to him for a few minutes, and with a curious crowd following the pair was led to the station. There they told their story. They had fallen in love with each other, they said, and had decided to elope. The boy, who worked in a grocery store, had waited until last Sunday, when he got his week's wages of $2.25, and then they started off for Coney Island. The boy had intended, he said, to get work. As for getting married, young Bernell said they didn't know exactly who to go to, and so they had put it off. There was a pathetic scene when the pair were parted. The girl and boy clung to each other until the policemen separated them. The girl was sent to the Children's society of Brooklyn, and the boy was locked up on a charge of abduction.

Bronx Real Estate Boom Continues.

The adequate proof of the solidity of the Bronx real estate boom was manifested today when hundreds of people taxed the capacity of the auction rooms of a down town real estate establishment and eagerly competed with one another for property sold under the hammer. Accommodations were found to be too small for the great crowds that fought to attend the auction today. The streets near by were lined with people making frantic efforts to gain entrance. Thirty lots contained in the block bounded by One Hundred and Seventieth Street, Stebbins avenue, Boston road and Wilkins avenue, were sold in the first 30 minutes of the sale. Two of these brought $22,000 each, an unprecedented price for lots of their size, while the others averaged $3,500 each. It is estimated that fully 5,000 people attended the sale.

Soulful Violin Is Missing.

Failing to find a clue that might lead to the recovery of a rare old violin which was stolen from him on Friday last, Frederick W. Schalscha, first violin of the Metropolitan opera house orchestra, is today frantic with grief. He prized the instrument, which is a Didie, a Duchesse L'Angouleme Maricourt, very highly. He declares the instrument was animated and possessed a soul as mysterious as that of a human being. It was made by F. Breton in Brevete a Maricourt, France, in 1800. Prof. Schalscha gave a recital Friday afternoon to a party of friends at his studio, at which many well-known artists performed. More than 100 were in attendance. After all had gone the professor sought his favorite violin, which was not in its accustomed place near the piano. Continued search proved futile, and Schalscha enlisted the aid of the police.

To Give Orphans "Home Life."

The New York Juvenile asylum started to move today from its old stone building at One Hundred and Seventy Sixth street and Amsterdam avenue, which it has occupied for over half a century, to its new cottage colony near Dobbs Ferry. The children will be housed in cottages, each in charge of a "house father" and "house mother," in which an attempt will be made to establish something like ordinary family life. The new institution externally resembles a small country college rather than a charitable institution. The grounds comprise 277 acres along the crest of a wooded ridge separating the Hudson river from the picturesque Sawmill river valley. It has 13 cottages, a school house accommodating 500, a power house for heat and electric lighting, with provisions for a laundry, butcher shop, and a community kitchen.

Higher Prices for Race Goers.

Hereafter the price of admission to all New York race tracks will be $3 for men to the grandstand; $1 50 for ladies, and $1 in the field. These prices were decided upon at a meeting of representatives of the several racing associations held at the house of August Belmont last night. This is the result of abolishing the revenue that was gratuitously subscribed by the bookmakers in the past. The move was anticipated, and had been in contemplation for the past four or five years. It was hardly expected to come so suddenly.

Higher Tax Rate for Gotham.

From Controller Grout today the board of aldermen received the printed tax budget for 1905, accompanied by estimates of the amount of money needed by the different departments of the city. The total amount to be raised by taxation this year is $109,817,595 03. The board will meet between now and September 15 to fix the tax levy. The budget shows a considerable increase over last year, and as there is not a corresponding increase in the valuation of real estate it is probable that the tax rate will be higher for 1905 than it was last year.

May Cut Off Bucketshops.

The subject of bucketshops and a discussion of ways and means to suppress them will come before the meeting of the board of governors of the New York stock exchange tomorrow. The officers of the exchange are not willing to discuss the probable action of the governors, but authentic information from other sources is to the effect that the board is determined to withhold its quotations from many quarters through which they are at present disseminated.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria.
Mrs. J. W. Friend.
Miss Friend.
Mrs. R. J. Friend.
T. C. Darsie.

Imperial.
H. L. Krensher.
R. J. Trimble.
J. R. Henricks.

Holland.
D. C. Byers.
H. C. Clapp.
Mrs. C. E. Clapp.
J. M. Martinez.
J. F. Byers.
E. M. Byers.
Mrs. J. B. Herron.

Manhattan.
F. W. Henderson.
W. E. Evans.
E. M. Heer.
Mrs. Heer.
W. Campbell, Jr.
H. A. Hall.
W. Gibson.
Miss E. Lawrie.
L. H. Flanders.
D. C. Arlington.

Hotel Astor.
C. S. Cook.
L. V. Watkins.
A. A. Lazarus.
C. B. Humphreys.

Plaza.
H. C. Teney.
P. J. Hardy.
Mrs. Hardy.

Wolcott.
R. J. Jarrett.
A. B. Best.

Astor House.
E. O. Wagner.
J. H. Dixon.
J. H. Martin.

Fifth Avenue.
Mrs. J. McCleave.
Miss O. R. Johnston.

Broadway Central.
C. W. Gregg.
D. C. Osgood.

Grand Union.
C. H. Barker.
G. B. Gray.
F. K. Mitchell.
A. R. Raymer.

Breslin.
Mrs. H. Fisher.

Bartholdi.
C. J. Lang.
Mrs. Lang.

Herald Square.
S. L. Kaufman.

Cosmopolitan.
F. J. Conlin.

Churchill.
W. M. Kohn.

Raleigh.
M. Kreiger.

Navarre.
J. B. Milliken.

Netherland.
H. Hewitt.

Everett.
F. S. Stedman.

ANIMAL LIFE

Intelligence of Elephants.

For 15 years the writer has had a fad for studying elephants—other people's elephants. He has spent days with the noted trainers while they broke new elephants to old tricks and old elephants to new ones. He has sat under the restless trunks of untrained and trained herds while the keepers told tales of mingled fact and fancy. He has ridden elephants and eaten them—at least a piece of one. He has seen them plow and has seen them extricating heavy circus wagons out of the mud. He has seen them "go bad" and has seen them executed.

It all has led him to the conclusion that the big brute is not possessed of the intelligence with which the species is credited. Some few have shown more than others, but as a species the elephant appears to be of the ordinary grade of animal intelligence and no more.

What the elephant does possess without doubt is a high degree of cunning. It is this that helps him do feats that seem to require a certain amount of brains, as "brains" are understood by human beings. But this same attribute makes the elephant one of the most dangerous of beasts.—Washington Star.

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Capturing Wild Animals.

The natives capture elephants in pits, a barbarously cruel method in which more than 50 per cent are killed by the fall. The animal catchers take tigers and lions in pits also. They dig a hole, cover it with matting, and place on this matting a dead goat. At night the lion or tiger steals from his lair, sees the goat, and springs upon it. The matting of course gives way, and down into the pit goes the roaring beast. Then the catchers run up and throw nets into the pit, and the struggling animal soon becomes hopelessly entangled. Nooses are then lowered into the pit and the beast is dragged out to the cage. Six out of every 10 are killed in this process. Leopards and jaguars and the smaller animals are caught in traps just as mice are caught, and monkeys are also trapped. Such great beasts as the rhinoceros and the like are not captured by the animal men, but are secured from native potentates, who give them away as a mark of special esteem or barter them for brass and other trifling but showy gewgaws.—New York Times.

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Bees Capture a Street.

A swarm of bees took Main street (Ventura) the other morning. They took the center of the thoroughfare and sailed through the city from one end to the other. Together with the scouts they had out they had complete possession of the street and merchants were compelled to close their store doors and delivery horses took refuge in the side streets until the band of workers passed through and took to the hills.—Los Angeles Times.

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The Automobile Parrot.

The automobile dog has had his day, if the somewhat startling innovation of an automobiling resident of Rye, N. Y., finds many imitators. There is a certain practical side of his idea which may appeal to many who have not taken up the dog carrying idea to any extent, for this gentleman carries with him a gorgeous hued parrot that has been trained to cry: "Look out! Look out!" whenever any one is endangered by its master's car. Fashionable London was but recently in the throes of a most serious and earnest discussion as to what breed of dogs were best fitted to wear goggles and sit at the guest hand of the chauffeur, but perchance the news of this latest Yankee notion may give the British motorist further food for discussion.—New York Sun.

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An Ostrich Legend.

Among the Arabs there is a curious legend to account for the ostrich's residence in the desert. "On a certain day appointed," so the story runs, "all created beings met together to decide upon their respective order and precedence. All went smoothly until the ostrich, pleading its inability to fly, disowned the birds and claimed to take rank with the mammals. These, however, would have nothing to say to a creature clothed not with fur but with feathers, while the birds, when the ostrich went dejectedly back, repudiated it also as a traitor to its race. But the ostrich was equal to the occasion and declared that being neither mammal nor bird it must be an angel. At this all the other animals indignantly rushed upon the ostrich and drove it before them into the desert, where it has lived in solitude ever since, with no one to contradict it."—Chicago News.

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Taming a Wild Duck.

Andrew C. Paist of Mechanicsville, Bucks county, has a beautiful wild duck among his flock of Peking ducks. It alighted last November in a state of bewilderment and exhaustion and was easily captured. Its wings were clipped so that it could not fly, and it soon became domesticated among the tame ducks, the most serious difficulty, that of getting used to corn diet, being overcome by degrees. During March it laid 28 eggs, 23 of which have furnished sittings for two tame ducks, and Mr. Paist is eagerly waiting the hatching process to see what the half wild, half domesticated ducklings will be like.—Bristol (N. Y.) Observer.

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A Monster Turtle.

The aquarium has now on exhibition the biggest green turtle ever shown here. It was captured on the Atlantic coast of Florida, weighs 313 pounds and measures 3½ feet in length on its top shell. It is somewhere between 4½ and 5 feet in length from tip to tip, from its beak to the end of its tail. Green turtles have been known to exceed in weight 1,000 pounds, and to measure in length as much as 7 or 8 feet, but this one at the aquarium is nevertheless a big green turtle.—New York Sun.

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A Dog Goes Visiting.

"There's a dog in our neighborhood," says a lady who resides in one of the residence streets uptown, "that has a regular round of visits to make every morning. I find out by comparing notes with a number of my neighbors that this particular dog makes a visit to each house every morning, and to some places he makes a call each afternoon. He is a good-natured fellow, and he will come in, act greatly pleased to see those who talk to him, accept with gratitude any bit of sweet or little morsel of meat that happens to be left from the breakfast, stay around a few minutes and then go on to the next house, where he goes through the same program."—Utica Observer.

Answer to Correspondent.

Manners—If your father has been naturalized you become a citizen at the age of 21. If your father has not been naturalized and you have resided in the United States three years next preceding your arrival at the age of 21, and have continued to reside therein to the time you may apply for citizenship, you may, after arriving at age, and after you have lived here five years, including three years of your minority, be admitted to citizenship, but you must prove to the satisfaction of the court that for two years next preceding it has been your bona fide intention to become a citizen.

Two Dogs.

I do not like my neighbor's dog.
Were I to size him up,
One brief phrase would express it all,
"A most ill-mannered pup."
He's vicious, and he has no sense,
He even barks at me;
And yet my neighbor seems to think
There's no such dog as he.

Now, my dog, on the other hand—
I'm very fond of him.
He's really gentle as a lamb,
Although he looks so grim.
And yet my neighbor fails to see
His keen intelligence.
"Your dog," he says, "is vicious, and
He hasn't any sense."
—Somerville Journal.

MARY LIVERMORE

Teacher, Writer, Philanthropist and Lecturer.

It was as president of the Northwest Sanitary commission that Mary A. Livermore did the philanthropic work that made her so prominent. The suggestion that she tell of her civil war experience led her into the lecture field, where she achieved prominence in later life. Her father had been a victim of the British press gang in the war of 1812 and the knowledge of the indignities he suffered made a deep impression on the young woman, for she acknowledges that it inspired her in undertaking the heroic work of caring for the soldiers in the civil war. Born in Boston, December 19, 1821, Mary Rice was educated there and became a teacher, being installed as principal of the Duxbury high school when 20 years old. It was there she met her husband, the Rev. D. P. Livermore, and for 13 years was occupied with the duties of a pastor's wife. In 1857 her husband undertook the publication of the New Covenant, an organ of his denomination, published in Chicago, and she was for a time his assistant. Ten years ago she wrote an autobiography for the Arena, which included the story of her leaving the newspaper field for work among soldiers and she then described incidents in her career as a lecturer. In this she said:

"It has been my good or ill fortune—according to one's standpoint of observation—to occupy a place on the public platform during this last wonderful quarter of a century. It was not a position of my own seeking, for although I was on the editorial staff of a weekly paper in Chicago at the opening of the civil war, and was recognized as a reporter at a time when women reporters were so rare that no woman beside myself was assigned a seat among the hundreds of men who reported the great Republican convention that nominated Abraham Lincoln for the presidency in 1860, I was yet conservative. I had heard but two women make public addresses, Angelina Grimke and Lola Montez, two very dissimilar persons, but both gifted as orators. I had no ambition for public life, and with my pen, the care of my family and my interest in two or three charitable and philanthropic organizations for which I worked devotedly, I was well content."

How She Began to Lecture.

She was induced to enter the lecture field on account of the interest taken in her ability to narrate her experiences in the civil war, for she says:

"The public lecture courses of the country then as now, always in quest of novelties, came forward with their bids for service. 'Arrange in the form of a lecture of your varied experiences in the office, the camp, the hospital and at the front, deliver it in our course and we will give the entire receipts of the evening to the sanitary commission.' The bribe was potent and the task proposed was not difficult, and before the close of the war I had become, in the parlance of the press, a public lecturer.

"I continued to receive invitations from the lecture courses of the country, flattering in tone and persuasive with promises of compensation. * * * I should never have entered the lecture field at the close of the war but for Mr. Redpath. He arranged all the details at the beginning, made the way easy and understanding the popular taste, as I did not, suggested lecture topics, made engagements and was the most indefatigable of agents. My friends, and notably my husband, co-operated with him.

Several Amusing Incidents.

"I was presented to the audience one evening," wrote Mrs. Livermore, "by a young lawyer, who desired to make the occasion as pleasant as possible for me. He had personally attended to the decoration of the platform, which was bright and fragrant with flowers. His dead mother and I had been girl friends. This was his introduction: 'Ladies and gentlemen, I have great pleasure in presenting to you this evening a lady of whom you have heard and read for 40 years; for during that time she has written and lectured extensively under the nom de plume of Lucy Stone. Tonight I present her by her true name, Mrs. Mary A. Livermore.' And it was with difficulty that I persuaded the young fellow that I knew myself better than he did."

Mrs. Livermore relates an experience she once had in keeping an appointment to lecture in Cincinnati, when the man who had agreed to take her to the train failed to appear. It was Sunday and no other trains were running to the city from the obscure town that day, so arrangements were made for a special locomotive to convey her. When the engine encountered a freight wreck about 16 miles out of the city she was discouraged, but the engineer told her they might catch a cattle train just leaving on the other side of the wreck. "We reached the station just as the engineer of the cattle train was giving the signal to start. He declined to take me, and produced his printed instructions which forbade him to carry any freight but 'live stock' and any passengers but drovers in charge of animals.

"'If I am not live stock will you please tell me what I am?' I inquired impatiently and in dismay. There was a laugh, a hurried parley between the two men and the conductor of the cattle train decided to transport me to Cincinnati if I would go as live stock. I was weighed as live stock, was billed as live stock, but was put in the caboose and not the cattle car; and when I reached my destination I paid my bill and took a receipt, details with which live stock never trouble themselves."

ARRIVALS AT PITTSBURGH HOTELS.

Griswold—John Shang, Youngstown; James Large, Gill Hall; J. M. Carey, Oil City; R. McKean, Belleveron; R. Weston, Connellsville.

Henry—R. L. Kline, Altoona; G. McKee, Chicora; H. Armstrong, Wheeling; A. R. Cole, Clarksburg; George A. Barnes, Monongahela City; C. A. Shira, Parker; M. A. Vreeland, Kane.

Duquesne—J. H. Coy, Altoona; R. E. Cook, Johnstown; J. R. Perkins, Erie.

Lincoln—C. J. Jones, Erie; M. Carson, Johnstown; S. Brown, Franklin; C. Waters, Altoona.

Monongahela House—J. R. Sweeney, Johnstown; C. T. Hamilton, Wheeling; M. Rice, Franklin; B. M. Horner, New Castle; J. N. Blaise, Erie.

Seventh Avenue—George H. Love, Johnstown; E. Eyler, Altoona; R. C. Ross, Dubois; W. W. Davidson, Franklin; T. Riley, Erie.

Colonial—S. Steinfeld, Clarry; R. McMillan, Erie; H. S. Herrington, Bellaire; J. R. Russell, Scottdale; S. Jones, Steubenville.

Boyer—S. W. Jacobs, Dunbar; S. W. Morrison, Jeannette; D. R. Meyers, Sharon.

Antler—F. W. Jones, Punxsutawney; H. R. Rhodes, Sutter; F. W. Smith, Blairsville.

Newell's—H. R. Matthews, West Newton.

IT IS TO SMILE.

Dealer—Don't you want some strawberries, lady? We've got some splendid ones—natives.

Mrs. Toney—Natives! Mercy, no. Everything native is so excessively vulgar! We never have any but imported berries on our table.—Boston Transcript.

The man behind the white apron indignantly asserted himself. "I won't be ordered around as if I was a slave," he exclaimed. "I'm as good as you. It's no disgrace to be a waiter!"

"Maybe not," said the dyspeptic guest, "but it's a disgrace to be such a waiter as you are."—Chicago Tribune.

"I don't see—" began Dorothy.

"What doesn't mamma's girl see?"

"I don't see why it is that you say, 'Why, Dorothy, you're all over dirt!' when really, you know, the dirt is all over me."—Cleveland Leader.

Nero was not satisfied with the slaughter he was causing in the arena.

"This is too tame," he said. "I'll have to get an automobile."

Then he donned a pair of goggles and a rubber coat and announced to the Roman senate that he was dressed to kill.—Brooklyn Life.

BIGELOW'S GRIP IS THREATENED

Councilmen Are Independent Because They Have Less Than a Year to Serve.

TEST COMES IN SELECT TODAY

The meeting of select council today will demonstrate whether Director Bigelow still holds a firm grip on the city legislative bodies. The director has declared that he proposes to put through every administration bill which was held up at the last meeting of select council, and he must do this to prove that he is still the controlling force in councils, which he has managed with a strong hand for two years.

Recently the members of select council have made a display of some independence. This is attributed largely to the belief of members of the upper branch that they will lose their offices next April, although half of them were elected to serve until 1908. If the Greater Pittsburgh becomes a fact, as few now doubt, every member of select council will step out next April, unless he secures a re-election next year.

Many of them will not be able to secure a re-election, because their wards will be consolidated with other wards. This knowledge has been making select councilmen more independent of the administration. The opposition to the administration in common council is expected to grow considerably as soon as the supreme court hands down its decision in the Greater Pittsburgh case, providing the decision is favorable to the consolidation of the two cities.

Common councilmen are more numerous than select councilmen, and the redistricting of the wards, which will follow annexation, will affect more members of the lower branch than of select. The majority of the members of common council will find themselves legislated out of office when the ward lines are changed, and this, with the knowledge that they have little or no chance of being returned to councils next April, is expected to make them more independent of the administration.

Since the meeting of the special committee on the Eighteenth ward engine house site, Select Councilman Wainwright has been quietly working among the members of select council, and it is claimed he has a majority of the members of the upper branch pledged to his cause. He opposes the purchase of the Stanton avenue site and declares the special committee approved the site without seeing it. Director Bigelow has promised to aid Director Moore in the passage of this bill, and if the bill fails, this will be the second rebuff the public safety director will have sustained in two meetings.

Director Bigelow also announces confidently that the artesian well ordinance, of which Councilman Roenigk is the author, will be reconsidered and passed today. Many of the members are opposed to artesian wells, because they believe them an unnecessary expense in view of the fact that the city is spending millions for filtration. There are others who claim artesian wells in Pittsburgh will not furnish a pure water supply. Others are against the bill for personal reasons, because it is fathered by Mr. Roenigk.

STATE EDITORS MEET HERE.

Pittsburgh Press Club Assists as Host at Big Meeting of Editorial Association in September.

Preliminary arrangements for the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania State Editorial association in Pittsburgh next September were made at a meeting at the Hotel Schenley yesterday afternoon. The convention will be held on September 26, 27 and 28. Oliver D. Schock of Harrisburg, Harry Thompson of Tyrone, R. T. Wiley of Elizabeth and R. B. Hapgood of Bradford, members of the executive committee of the association; James W. Wardrop, secretary of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association, and several members of the Pittsburgh Press club were present.

The executive committee outlined the following program, which is likely to be adopted:

Tuesday, September 26—Reception of the delegates at the Hotel Schenley, trolley rides and visits to industrial plants.

Wednesday—9:30 a. m., business session, during which the lady visitors will be the guests of the Pittsburgh Women's Press club and will be driven through the parks in carriages and automobiles; 2 p. m., boat ride; 8 p. m., banquet at the Hotel Schenley.

Thursday—9:30, trip by railroad over Pittsburgh terminals and entertainment at Westinghouse plants; 8 p. m., reception, to be followed by a "night in Bohemia."

Thomas Ross in "Checkers."

The long-promised engagement of Thomas W. Ross in the much-talked-of "Checkers," will begin at the Nixon theater on Monday evening, and, judging by the many inquiries at the box office, this young man, who, for a number of years was a popular member of the local stock company, will receive a welcome of which he will ever be proud. Mr. Ross comes here direct from Philadelphia, where he is now playing his fifth engagement in "Checkers."

Mifflin Township's Millage.

After a deadlock lasting several weeks, over the matter of arranging millage for Mifflin township, the commissioners yesterday fixed the millage for this year at 5 mills, the same as last year. The minority members of the board wanted a lower millage.

More Tools Are Recovered.

More tools, alleged to have been stolen by Oscar Clements, George Arnde, Albert Kecker and Julius Krautworm, who are being held for court, were recovered by the East End police yesterday. The spoils are valued at $150.

MACHEN IS GIVEN TWO MORE YEARS

Former Postoffice Department Official Pleads Guilty to Fraud Indictment.

MAKES A PATHETIC SPEECH

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—August W. Machen, the former general superintendent of the free delivery service of the postoffice department, was taken back to the Moundsville (W. Va.) penitentiary tonight after being sentenced today to another term of two years following his plea of guilty under his joint indictment with W. G. Crawford of this city and George E. Lorenz of Toledo, O., for conspiracy to defraud the government.

Machen will not be prosecuted on any of the remaining 11 indictments. Including his present two year term and his sentence today and making allowances for commutation for good behavior he has two years and eight months yet to serve in the penitentiary.

When the Machen-Crawford-Lorenz case was called today District Attorney Beach asked that Crawford be first arraigned. The defendant entered a plea of not guilty and Machen was then arraigned. In entering his plea Machen begged the permission of the court to explain his action. He said:

> It is due to the court, to my devoted wife and the children who bear my name, to my parents, to the counsel who have loyally defended and advised me, to my loyal and steadfast friends, and to myself that an explanatory statement be made by me.
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> Although I did not directly or indirectly interfere with, or attempt to influence the committee that received and considered the competitive bids under which the contract set forth in the indictment was awarded and executed, yet I held an interest in the contract and shared in the profits accruing from it. I did not know or suppose at that time that I was violating the law, nor was there any intention on my part to injure or defraud the United States. I am advised by counsel, however, that the acceptance of the money alleged to have been received by me in the indictment constituted, under the circumstances, a technical violation of the statutes.
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> Embarrassed as I am by my present situation and surrounded with all the disadvantages which are its consequence, I am, from that fact alone, in almost a defenseless position. I shall, therefore, willingly submit to any penalty which the court may deem proper to impose upon me under the plea which I have entered.
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> In my closing words and with all the force and earnestness at my command, let me urge that my plea shall not affect the interests of the other defendants under this indictment.

ABOVE APPROPRIATION.

Bids on First Ward Engine House Exceed $50,000—Blake Gets One More Contract.

Bids received the second time for the contract to build the new engine house in the First ward again exceed the appropriation, which is $50,000. The lowest of the bids, which were opened yesterday, was $52,435, by John Seibert. There were two other bids, but they were above $60,000. A transfer of money will be made from the bureau of electricity and the public safety bond fund to supply the deficiency in the appropriation.

Contracts were let yesterday for a few street and bridge improvements. One of the contracts was awarded to the Blake Company of Cincinnati, which was refused a number of contracts the other day by Director Bigelow, although the company was the lowest bidder, on the ground that the company had already secured as much work from the city as it could attend to. The award of the contract for the asphalt repair plant was held over until June 3.

HALF HOLIDAY MOVEMENT.

Labor Unions Will Appeal to Other Organizations for Assistance.

An effort is being made to influence the ministerial associations, the Civic club, and kindred organizations to assist in the movement to bring about a Saturday half holiday in all avocations. The move, which was started several days ago, resulted in a joint meeting of the special committees of the United Labor league and the Iron City Central Trades council being held last night in the Knights of Labor headquarters, 535 Smithfield street.

At the meeting a resolution was passed inviting all organizations to appoint a committee of five each. When this has been done a meeting of all the committees will be held to form a permanent association. At the meeting last night P. W. I. Gilfoil was elected president, and S. J. Konenkamp secretary.

GOING AWAY THIS SUMMER?

The Gazette Summer Resort Directory Will Give You the Best Answer as to Where to Go.

With the approach of the summer vacation season probably a majority of the readers of The Gazette are discussing with themselves and their families and friends the "best" place to spend the annual outing. Shall it be abroad? Shall it be at the seashore? Shall it be among the pines of Maine? Shall it be along the great lakes; or shall it be within the borders of our own state? are questions that arise. With a view to affording its readers the very best information on these subjects, The Gazette has established an information bureau which offers without charge abundant information relative to hotel accommodations, rates, attractions, etc., at the various resorts. The summer resort directory on the last page of this issue is a complete guide in itself. If you are undecided as to where to go, consult The Gazette.

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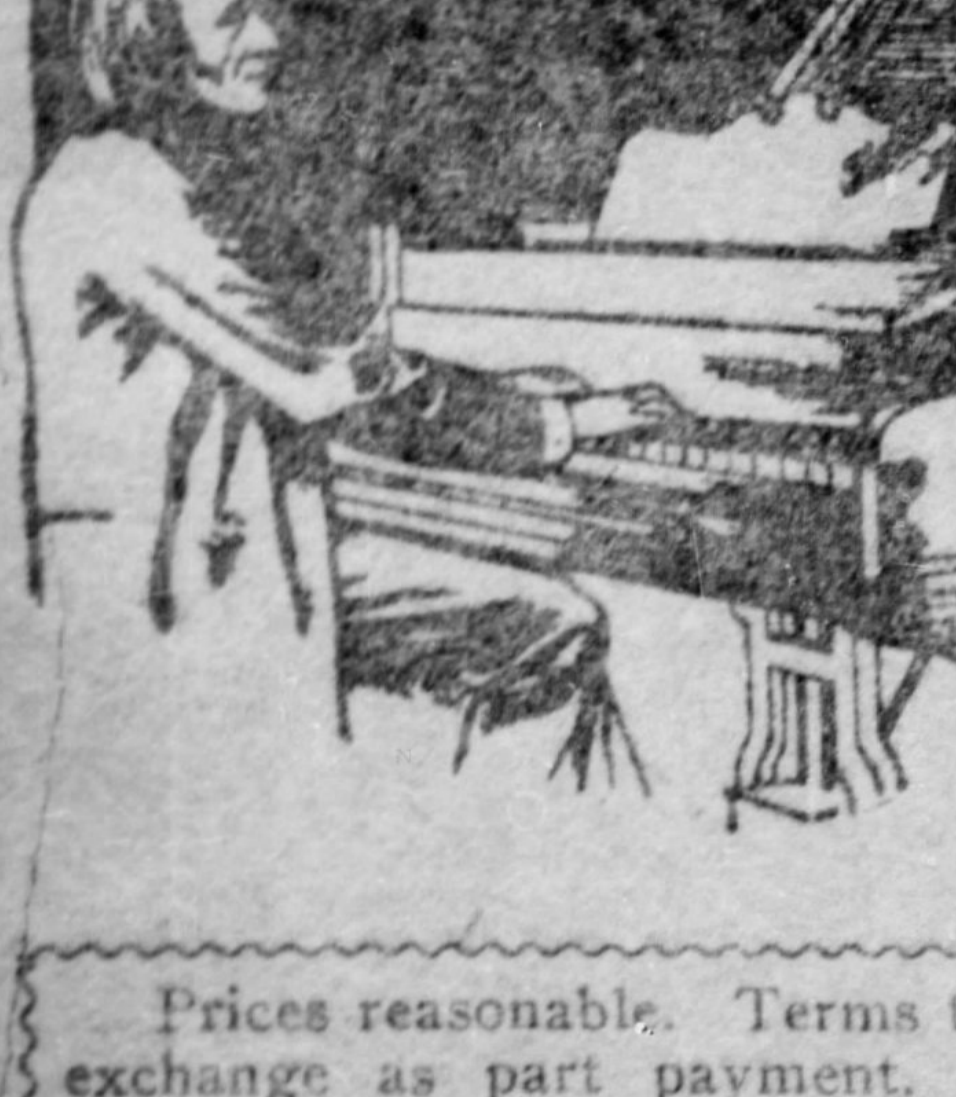

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MONASTERY'S RECTOR HAS GREAT SILVER JUBLEE

Hundreds Attend Father Michael's Mass in Honor of His 25th Year in the Priesthood.

The silver jubilee of the Very Rev. Father Michael was celebrated yesterday at St. Paul's monastery in Mt. Oliver. It was the twenty-fifth anniversary of the ordination of the popular priest and the services in the monastery church were attended by hundreds of friends and admirers of the celebrant from all over the South Side.

Father Michael was the recipient of many beautiful presents. His sisters presented him with a fine chalice; "a friend" sent him the handsomest missal ever seen at the monastery; he got a number of books, several traveling bags and a picture commemorative of the occasion, presented by the priests of St. Michael's church, and painted by Brother Frank, also of St. Michael's. Father Michael is the rector of the monastery and is one of the best-known Passionists in the country.

Solemn high mass began in the monastery church at 10 a. m. Father Michael was the celebrant, and was assisted by Father Goebel, deacon; Father O'Connell, sub-deacon, and Father Adelbert, master of ceremonies. Father E. P. Griffin of St. Mary's of the Mount preached the sermon. The music was sung by the monastery choir and volunteer singers of Pittsburgh.

A noonday banquet was tendered the rector by the fathers of the monastery and of St. Michael's parish. Father Michael made a speech, in which he spoke feelingly of his long connection with the monastery. Last night there was a family reunion at the home of his sister in Mt. Oliver.

Father Michael Klinzing was born in Ketter, Germany, in 1856. He came to America with his family, and in 1873 he entered the Passionist order. He studied at the monastery, the Holy Cross Retreat in Cincinnati, and at St. Joseph's, Baltimore, and at St. Michael's, West Hoboken, N. J., where he was ordained priest by the late Archbishop Corrigan, then bishop of Newark, N. J. For some years after his ordination Father Michael taught the scholastics of the order and was long engaged in missionary work.

Change of Time on Pittsburgh Division Pennsylvania Railroad, Taking Effect on May 28.

Train No. 3, which now arrives at Pittsburgh at 12:10 p. m., on new time table will arrive at 11:00 a. m. A new train, No. 63, will be established leaving Altoona at 8:00 a. m., arriving at Pittsburgh at 12:10 p. m. No change in hour of departure of train No. 3 from Philadelphia.

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We made a hit first three days of this week with our Special Carpet offer. It was so good that we intend to keep it up for balance of this week. Note the prices:

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24th

$1.35 3-Ply Wool Ingrain Carpet will go at	$1.10	yard
$1.25 Best Tapestry Carpet "	99c	yard
$1.65 Wilton Velvet Carpet "	$1.39	yard
$35.00 Body Brussels 9x12 Rug "	$29.90	each

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55c Cotton Ingrain Carpet will go at	39c	yard
25c China Matting "	17c	yard
75c Printed Linoleum "	60c	yard
45c Oilcloth "	33c	yard
$35.00 Body Brussels 9x12 Rug	$29.90	each

FRIDAY, MAY 26th

$3.00 Nottingham Lace Curtain will go at	$2.48	pair
$6.50 Irish Pointe Curtain "	$4.98	pair
35c Japan Matting "	25c	yard
$1.00 Hassock will go "	49c	each
$35.00 Body Brussels 9x12 Rug "	$29.90	each

SATURDAY, MAY 27th

85c Wool Filled Ingrain Carpet will go at	59c	yard
55c Home-Made Rag Carpet "	40c	yard
$1.65 Body Brussels Carpet "	$1.49	yard
$35.00 Body Brussels 9x12 Rug "	$29.90	each

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(No. 19.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a public sewer on McClure avenue, Eleventh ward, from Girard street to Moore alley, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a public sewer on McClure avenue, Eleventh ward, from Girard street to Moore alley, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work, in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 7.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the issue and sale of two hundred twenty-five thousand ($225,000.00) dollars of bonds of the city of Allegheny for the purpose of extending the water system of the city, installing a manifold system at the Montrose Pumping Station and making improvements at the Montrose and Howard street pumping stations, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of the interest thereon.

Whereas, By an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authoring the submission to a vote of the electors of the city of Allegheny the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the City of Allegheny by the amount of $225,000.00 for the purpose of extending the water system of the city, installing a manifold system at the Montrose pumping station and making improvements at the Montrose and Howard street pumping stations," approved by the mayor on the sixteenth day of January, 1905, the corporate authorities of the City of Allegheny signified their desire that the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the City of Allegheny by the amount of $225,000.00 for the purposes therein named, be submitted to the electors of said City of Allegheny at the municipal election held on Tuesday, the 21st day of February, 1905, in accordance with the laws of the state of Pennsylvania, and

Whereas, Proper and timely notice having been given according to law, such election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and duly certified returns thereof, together with a certified copy of the said ordinance and proper proofs of publication and advertisement were duly made and recorded, in every respect as required by law; and

Whereas, By the returns of said election it appears that a majority of the electors voting at said election voted for said proposed increase of indebtedness; therefore

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an issue of bonds in the name of the City of Allegheny, to be designated "Water Bonds, 1905," to the aggregate amount of $225,000.00, be and the same is hereby authorized.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall bear date June 1st, 1905, and shall be registered in the office of the controller of the City of Allegheny, and shall be issued in denominations of one hundred dollars each or multiples thereof to suit purchasers, and shall be payable as follows, to wit: Bonds to the aggregate amount of seventy-five hundred dollars shall be payable on the first day of June, 1906, and bonds to the aggregate amount of seventy-five hundred dollars shall be payable on the first day of June of each year for a period of twenty-nine years thereafter. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the city controller of the City of Allegheny, on the first days of June and December of each year and the principal thereof shall be payable at their maturity at the same place. Said bonds shall be signed by the mayor and countersigned by the city controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Allegheny, and the proceeds thereof shall be applied exclusively for the purpose of extending the water system of the city, installing a manifold system at the Montrose pumping station and making improvements at the Montrose and Howard street pumping stations.

Sec. 3. Until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for such purposes, a tax for the payment of the principal and interest thereof as the same shall become due and payable, as follows, to wit: for the year 1906, $16,500.00; for the year 1907, $16,200.00; for the year 1908, $15,900.00; for the year 1909, $15,600.00; for the year 1910, $15,300.00; for the year 1911, $15,000.00; for the year 1912, $14,700.00; for the year 1913, $14,400.00; for the year 1914, $14,100.00; for the year 1915, $13,800.00; for the year 1916, $13,500.00; for the year 1917, $13,200.00; for the year 1918, $12,900.00; for the year 1919, $12,600.00; for the year 1920, $12,300.00; for the year 1921, $12,000.00; for the year 1922, $11,700.00; for the year 1923, $11,400.00; for the year 1924, $11,100.00; for the year 1925, $10,800.00; for the year 1926, $10,500.00; for the year 1927, $10,200.00; for the year 1928, $9,900.00; for the year 1929, $9,600.00; for the year 1930, $9,300.00; for the year 1931, $9,000.00; for the year 1932, $8,700.00; for the year 1933, $8,400.00; for the year 1934, $8,100.00; for the year 1935, $7,800.00. And the said amount for each year respectively is hereby appropriated out of the revenues of the said city for the payment and redemption of the said bonds and interest as aforesaid and for no other purpose whatever.

Sec. 4. All bonds issued by virtue of this ordinance and the acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become a part of the funded debt of the City of Allegheny and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and for the payment of the principal of the said bonds and the interest thereon as the same shall mature or become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said city are hereby pledged.

Sec. 5. The city controller is hereby authorized and instructed to advertise for proposals for the sale of said bonds, and the mayor and the city controller are hereby authorized and directed to issue and sell said bonds in accordance with the provisions of the act of Assembly in such case made and provided.

Sec. 6. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20th, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 8.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the issue and sale of one hundred twenty-five thousand ($125,000.00) dollars of bonds of the city of Allegheny for the purpose of regrading and repaving streets, changing and constructing sewers and water pipes, and paying damages to private property, made necessary by the contract between the city of Allegheny and the Pennsylvania Co., operating the railway of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway Co., for the abolishing of grade crossings in the city of Allegheny, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of the interest thereon.

Whereas, By an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing the submission to a vote of the electors of the city of Allegheny the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of $125,000.00 for the purpose of regrading and repaving streets, changing and constructing sewers and water pipes, and paying damages to private property, made necessary by the contract between the city of Allegheny and the Pennsylvania company, operating the railway of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway Co., for the abolishing of grade crossings in the city of Allegheny," approved by the mayor on the sixteenth day of January, 1905, the corporate authorities of the city of Allegheny signified their desire that the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of $125,000.00 for the purposes therein named, be submitted to the electors of said city of Allegheny at the municipal election held on Tuesday, the 21st day of February, 1905, in accordance with the laws of the state of Pennsylvania; and,

Whereas, Proper and timely notice having been given according to law, such election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and duly certified returns thereof, together with a certified copy of the said ordinance and proper proofs of publication and advertisement were duly made and recorded, in every respect as required by law; and,

Whereas, By the returns of said election it appears that a majority of the electors voting at said election voted for said proposed increase of indebtedness; therefore,

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an issue of bonds in the name of the city of Allegheny, to be designated "Grade Crossing Bonds, 1905," to the aggregate amount of $125,000.00, be and the same is hereby authorized.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall bear date June 1, 1905, and shall be registered in the office of the controller of the city of Allegheny, and shall be issued in denominations of one hundred dollars each or multiples thereof to suit purchasers, and shall be payable as follows, to-wit: Bonds to the aggregate amount of $4,100.00 shall be payable on the first day of June, 1906, and bonds to the aggregate amount of $4,100.00 shall be payable on the first day of June of each year for a period of nine years thereafter, and bonds to the aggregate amount of $4,200.00 shall be payable on the first day of June, 1916, and bonds to the aggregate amount of $4,200.00 shall be payable on the first day of June of each year for a period of nineteen years thereafter. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the city controller of the city of Allegheny, on the first days of June and December of each year, and the principal thereof shall be payable at their maturity at the same place. Said bonds shall be signed by the mayor and countersigned by the city controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the city of Allegheny, and the proceeds thereof shall be applied exclusively for the purpose of regrading and repaving streets, changing and constructing sewers and water pipes and paying damages to private property, made necessary by the contract between the city of Allegheny and the Pennsylvania company, operating the railway of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway Co., for the abolishing of grade crossings in the city of Allegheny.

Sec. 3. Until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for such purposes, a tax for the payment of the principal and interest thereof as the same shall become due and payable, as follows, to-wit: for the year 1906, $9,100.00; for the year 1907, $8,936.00; for the year 1908, $8,772.00; for the year 1909, $8,608.00; for the year 1910, $8,444.00; for the year 1911, $8,280.00; for the year 1912, $8,116.00; for the year 1913, $7,952.00; for the year 1914, $7,788.00; for the year 1915, $7,624.00; for the year 1916, $7,560.00; for the year 1917, $7,392.00; for the year 1918, $7,224.00; for the year 1919, $7,056.00; for the year 1920, $6,888.00; for the year 1921, $6,720.00; for the year 1922, $6,552.00; for the year 1923, $6,384.00; for the year 1924, $6,216.00; for the year 1925, $6,048.00; for the year 1926, $5,880.00; for the year 1927, $5,712.00; for the year 1928, $5,544.00; for the year 1929, $5,376.00; for the year 1930, $5,208.00; for the year 1931, $5,040.00; for the year 1932, $4,872.00; for the year 1933, $4,704.00; for the year 1934, $4,536.00; for the year 1935, $4,368.00. And the said amount for each year respectively is hereby appropriated out of the revenues of the said city for the payment and redemption of the said bonds and interest as aforesaid and for no other purpose whatever.

Sec. 4. All bonds issued by virtue of this ordinance and the acts of assembly authorizing the same shall be and become a part of the funded debt of the city of Allegheny and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and for the payment of the principal of the said bonds and the interest thereon as the same shall mature or become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said city are hereby pledged.

Sec. 5. The city controller is hereby authorized and instructed to advertise for proposals for the sale of said bonds, and the mayor and the city controller are hereby authorized and directed to issue and sell said bonds in accordance with the provisions of the act of assembly in such case made and provided.

Sec. 6. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

ORDERS 100 NEW CARS FOR PITTSBURGH LINES

President Callery Tells Why New Ordinances Were Introduced in Allegheny.

President J. D. Callery of the Pittsburgh Railways Company yesterday placed with the St. Louis Car Company an order for 100 cars, making 400 cars the company has purchased within the last two years. The cars will be closed and of the same type as the large double-truck cars now in use here, and which are numbered in "thirty-one hundreds." They will be 44½ feet long with six-foot platforms, and will comfortably seat 44 people. They will have plush seats and will be fitted with automatic ventilators—something new in car building. Each car, when equipped with motors—the latter being placed under them in this city—will cost about $5,000, or about half a million dollars for the lot. Some of them will replace equipment which has become out of date. Since the formation of the railways company, three years ago, the company has expended about $2,000,000 on new cars and motor equipments.

Asked yesterday to explain the object of presenting four street railway ordinances in Allegheny councils last Thursday night, President Callery said:

> These are but new ordinances covering old subjects and were presented merely to give us the advantage of extending the time allowed us for the construction and completion of new lines in Allegheny City. None of them is necessary, anyhow. They are the North Side & South Side Passenger railway, the Ridge Avenue & Chartiers Street railway, the Cedar Avenue Street railway and the Allegheny, Bellevue & Perrysville railway. We secured the charter rights to these lines several years ago. Our franchises from the city gave us until August 19, 1906, to complete the work. On account of a vast system of crosstown and other Greater Pittsburgh lines we are planning, we cannot construct these four Allegheny City branches next year. The last session of the legislature passed a law authorizing cities to make contracts with street railway companies for the extension of time in which to lay tracks previously authorized and preserving the rights of the companies. These are the first ordinances to take advantage of the new law.
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> The North Side & South Side Passenger railway is the Ridge avenue line. It is to begin at Sandusky street, run along Robinson to Federal street, to Sheffield street, to Chartiers street, to the Island avenue bridge and thence via Marshall avenue to Brighton road.
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> The Ridge Avenue & Chartiers Street railway will begin at Ridge avenue and Fulton street, run along Ridge avenue to Chartiers street and thence to Sheffield street. The Cedar avenue line will begin at Madison avenue and Third street and will run along Cedar avenue to Church avenue, to Sandusky street, to Robinson street. The Perrysville avenue is the Howard and East street line. We now have tracks on East street, but not on Howard, Third and Middle streets.

WILL BE NO BOLT OVER QUESTION OF UNION

FRESNO, CAL., May 23.—With intense earnestness, but good spirit, without excitement or applause, the union debate continues in the Cumberland Presbyterian assembly. The discussion probably is changing no votes as it is understood that the loyalists have bound themselves to vote as a unit. It is now conceded, however, there will be no bolt.

The Death Roll.

The Rev. Benjamin H. Fish.

The Rev. Benjamin H. Fish, aged 74, died yesterday at his home, Converse street, McKeesport. Death was due to a stroke of paralysis. He had been unconscious since last Friday. He was known throughout the Monongahela and Youghiogheny valleys and preached in small towns in those districts. He was born in New Jersey and went to McKeesport 10 years ago from Ebensburg, Pa., where he had been in regular charge of a Baptist church. He had been half a century a minister. He had no regular charge in McKeesport. Besides his widow, Mrs. Martha Warren Fish, he is survived by the following sons and daughters: Howard M. Fish, Kane, Pa.; William C. Fish and Bryant S. Fish, Pittsburg; Mrs. Cyrus W. Jones, Ebensburg, Pa.; Mrs. Mildred E. Swaney, widow of H. H. Swaney, Seattle, Wash., and Miss Martha Fish, at home. One sister also survives, Mrs. J. D. Carpenter of Woodbury, N. J. He was a member of the Knights of Malta, which organization will have charge of the funeral.

Mrs. Lavinia C. McKinsey.

Mrs. Lavinia Caldwell McKinsey, a prominent resident of the West End, died early yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. P. W. Metz, Allegheny, of general debility. Mrs. McKinsey was in her 75th year. She was born in Cherry Run, Clarion county, the daughter of James and Nancy Caldwell. She married James L. McKinsey and the couple came to the West End 28 years ago. Mr. McKinsey died 15 years ago. Mrs. McKinsey was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church. She is survived by her children, W. B. McKinsey, Samuel, W. H., of the central board of education, and Thomas of Ontario, Can., and Mrs. P. W. Metz and Mrs. Charles Hayward, and 15 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Ten days ago Mrs. McKinsey's daughter, Mrs. S. O. Steele of Petrolia, was buried. The brother, Thomas, came on from Canada to attend the funeral, and as his mother seemed to be better he returned home. Yesterday he was notified of his mother's death. Mrs. McKinsey will be buried tomorrow in Jennings cemetery, Greentree borough. The funeral services will be held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Hayward, 18 McKnight street, West End.

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore.

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, the well-known writer and reformer, died at her home at Melrose, Mass., yesterday. Mrs. Livermore was born in Boston December 19, 1820, and was the daughter of Timothy Rice. In 1845 she was married to the Rev. D. P. Livermore, a Universalist clergyman, who died in 1899. In 1857 she removed to Chicago, where her husband became editor of a Universalist paper. In 1869 she became editor of the Agitator, but in the following year she returned to Boston and was editor of the Woman's Journal for two years. At the time of her death she was president of the Massachusetts Woman's Suffrage association. Mrs. Livermore was active in the anti-slavery agitation, and the Washingtonian temperance movement. During the civil war she took a leading part in the work of the United States sanitary commission.

Mrs. C. Fred Baxmyer.

Mrs. Marie Rudel Baxmyer, aged 47, wife of C. Fred Baxmyer, a business man of the South Side, died at her home, Brownsville road and Noble's lane, yesterday morning at 5 o'clock. The deceased was born in Hollidaysburg, Blair county. She is survived by her husband, three brothers and three sisters, all of whom live in or near this city: William and Henry Rudel, Mt. Oliver, and John Rudel, Pittsburgh; Miss Louise Rudel, Mrs. Carrie Donnally and Mrs. W. F. Baxmyer, all of Carrick. Mrs. Baxmyer was widely known among the religious and charitable people of the South Side and hill tops. She had been actively connected with the Knoxville Presbyterian church for 14 years. The funeral service will take place from the house Thursday afternoon at 2:30, and will be conducted by the Rev. W. A. Jones.

John Zimmerman.

Word has been received of the death of John Zimmerman, one of Verona's pioneer business men, in Los Angeles, Cal., aged 47. Mr. Zimmerman was born in Indiana township, near Glenshaw, and when a young man went to Verona, starting in the meat business. In 1856 he married Miss Catherine Hoemel of Penn township, and shortly afterwards commenced in the drygoods and furnishing business. Later he organized the firm of Zimmerman & Co., and was its head until his health forced him to Southern California. Then he removed to Phoenix, Ariz., and several years ago went to Los Angeles, Cal. He is survived by his widow and one son, Lee Zimmerman. The body will be interred in Oakmont cemetery.

Mrs. Catherine A. Freyvogle.

Mrs. Catherine A. Freyvogle died yesterday at her late residence, 652 College avenue. She was the widow of Henry A. Freyvogle, a prominent manufacturer of this city, who died many years ago. She resided in the Sixth ward where she was well known nearly all her life. She was the mother of John, Joseph and Paul Freyvogle, Mrs. Joseph P. Dunn and Mrs. Frank Boyle. The funeral will probably be held Thursday morning, solemn requiem high mass being celebrated at the Sacred Heart church of which the deceased was a member.

Mrs. Margaret Griffith Godfrey.

Mrs. Margaret Griffith Godfrey died this week at her residence, 417 Elizabeth street, Hazelwood. She was a native of England, but had been a resident of this city for about 20 years. Mrs. Godfrey is survived by five children: Fred, who is at present in Africa; Harry and William, at home; Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, in England, and Edith, at home.

AFFECTS THE SALARIES OF MANY POSTMASTERS

Department Makes Readjustment for Offices in Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Almost every city in Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio will be affected by the readjustment of postmasters' salaries, which is now in progress. Those which were announced by the first assistant postmaster general today are:

Pennsylvania—Aspinwall, $1,900 to $1,300; Beaver Springs, $1,300 to $1,000; Belleveron, $1,600 to $1,700; Bolivar, $1,200 to $1,100; Brockwayville, $1,300 to $1,400; Burgettstown, $1,400 to $1,500; Chambersburg, $2,600 to $2,700; Cochrantown, $1,200 to $1,300; Beaver, $2,000 to $2,100; Bedford, $1,900 to 2,000; Bridgeville, $1,100 to $1,200; Brownsville, $1,800 to $1,900; Canonsburg, $2,200 to $2,300; Clairton, $1,300 to $1,100.

Ohio—Byesville, $1,300 to $1,400; Calla, $2,000 to $2,100; Dillonvale, $1,400 to $1,500; Hudson, $1,500 to $1,400; Lisbon, $2,000 to $2,100; Barberton, $2,400 to $2,500; Coshocton, $2,500 to $2,600; Hubbard, $1,100 to $1,000; Lodi, $1,200 to $1,300; Massillon, $2,600 to $2,700.

Memorial Observances in Allegheny.

The Allegheny Memorial day committee met last night and completed details for Memorial day. The public schools will be visited by delegations from the three Allegheny posts on Friday of this week. Divine services will be held twice on Sunday, in the morning at the Trinity Methodist Protestant church, Bidwell and Abdell streets, and in the evening at St. Paul's Evangelical Protestant church, East and First streets. These services will be attended by Posts 88, 128 and 162, Grand Army of the Republic, the Spanish War Veterans and the Sons of Veterans. The services at the cemeteries on Memorial day will be conducted as previously announced. A feature at Uniondale will be the singing of a chorus of 900 children from the public schools.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Joseph Moser	Pittsburgh
Helen Scherer	Pittsburgh
James F. Boggs	Pittsburgh
Mabel M. Bailey	Parkersburg W. Va.
Chris Deitz	Allegheny
Fannie M. Luttinger	Etna
Horace Ford	Duquesne
Ailya Banks	Duquesne
Frank Miller	Pittsburgh
Pauline B. Voss	Pittsburgh
Harry R. Ritter	Pittsburgh
Mary E. Bush	Pittsburgh
Walter J. Fulton	Sheradenville
Ida E. Becker	Pittsburgh
John Boyd	Pittsburgh
Irene Storm	Pittsburgh
Isaac Good	Allegheny
Lino Kerschner	Allegheny
Elmer C. Vey	Allegheny
Anna Sisteck	Allegheny
Joseph Worth	Millvale
Lillian Bennett	Millvale
Alex S. H. Cake	Pittsburgh
Nellie L. Werner	Pittsburgh
Charles Reitzel	Allegheny
Lillian Zeringer	Allegheny
John H. Zimmerman	Allegheny
Annie Crozier	Allegheny

An important change of time will take effect on Pennsylvania railroad on May 28th on main line, West Penn and Monongahela divisions.

DIED.

ALSTON—On Tuesday, May 23, 1905, at 1:15 a. m., ARCHIBALD ALSTON, in his 78th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1212 Buena Vista street, Allegheny, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private Thursday morning.

BAXMYER—On Tuesday, May 23, 1905, at 5 o'clock a. m., MARIE RUDEL BAXMYER, wife of C. Fred Baxmyer, aged 46 years.

Funeral from her late residence, Brownsville road and Nobles lane, Carrick, Thursday, May 25, at 2:30 p. m.

BECKLEY—On Tuesday, May 23, 1905, at 2:30 p. m., AGNES C. BECKLEY (nee Curley), in her 53d year.

Funeral from her late residence, 120 North avenue, Millvale borough, on Thursday, May 25, at 8 a. m. Requiem high mass at St. Ann's church, Millvale, at 8:30 a. m.

CAMP—HENRY CAMP, in his 86th year.

Services at his late residence, No. 1626 Wightman street, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment Thursday morning at Freeport cemetery via Allegheny Valley railroad, leaving East Liberty at 10:40 a. m.

COUZINS—On Monday, May 22, 1905, at 10:30 p. m., DANIEL R. COUZINS, aged 37 years, member of Branch No. 76, C. M. B. A., and St. Peter's Beneficial Society of Allegheny.

Funeral from James J. Flannery & Bros.' mortuary, 542 Grant street, on Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Services at St. Patrick's church at 9 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. [Cincinnati (O.) papers please copy.]

DAVIS—On Tuesday, May 23, 1905, at 2 a. m., ROSIE DAVIS, wife of William Davis (nee Snyder) formerly of Pittsburgh, in her 48th year.

Funeral services at her late residence, Richland, N. J., on Thursday, May 25.

FINDLAY—On Tuesday, May 23, 1905, at 3:30 p. m., JANE HADDEN WILLOX, beloved wife of George Findlay, aged 42 years. Besides her husband, four sons, James, George, Alexander and Andrew Findlay, survive.

Funeral services today at 2 p. m. at her late residence, rear of 2163 Bedford avenue. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FREYVOGEL—On Tuesday, May 23, 1905, at 3:50 a. m., CATHERINE A., relict of Henry A. Freyvogel, aged 67 years.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 652 College avenue, East End, on Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem at Sacred Heart church at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

GANNON—On Tuesday, May 23, 1905, at 10 a. m. at Woodsfield, O., Mrs. IDA GANNON.

Funeral on Thursday, May 25, at 9:30 a. m. from Woodsfield, O.

GODFREY—On Tuesday, May 23, 1905, at 7:45 a. m., MARGARET GRIFFITH, widow of Henry Godfrey, aged 64 years.

Funeral services at her late residence, 417 Elizabeth street, Hazelwood, on Thursday, at 2 p. m.

KINZER—On Tuesday evening, May 23, 1905, at 10 o'clock, Mrs. MARIA MATHILDA KLAUSS, wife of J. J. Kinzer, at her residence, 46 De Soto street, Oakland.

Notice of funeral later.

MATES—On Monday, May 22, 1905, at 4:30 p. m. at Duquesne, Pa., EDWARD C., son of George and Thena Mates, in his 23d year.

Funeral services at his late residence, Shaw avenue, Turtle Creek, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment at Church Hill cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MILES—On Monday, May 22, 1905, at 4:55 p. m., KATHERINE MILES, mother of Edward and Thomas J. O'Brien, in her 73d year.

Funeral services Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at her residence, 1436 Boyle street, Allegheny. Interment private.

(New Castle papers please copy.)

M'KINSEY—On Tuesday, May 23, 1905, at 4 a. m. at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. P. W. Metz, LAVINA, widow of James L. McKinsey, in the 75th year of her age.

Funeral services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Hayward, No. 18 McKnight street, West End, on Thursday, May 25, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

RICHARDSON—On Monday, May 22, 1905, at 1:30 p. m., MARTHA VANDERBILT, wife of Cornelius K. Richardson, age 67 years.

Funeral services at the residence of her husband, No. 3818 Pier street, Oakland, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WRIGHT—Suddenly on Tuesday afternoon, May 23, 1905, DAVID WRIGHT, in his 23d year.

Services on Thursday afternoon, May 25, at 3 o'clock at the residence of his brother, Robert Wright, 119 Pearl street, Allegheny. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Uniondale cemetery.

[Stanton (Minn.) papers please copy.]

YOUNG—On Monday, May 22, 1905, at 2:20 p. m., HOWARD D., beloved son of Ralph D. and Margaret Young (nee Kester), at the parents' residence, 309 Arabella street, Knoxville, aged 10 months 9 days.

Funeral from parents' residence today at 2:30 p. m.

JAMES M. FULLERTON.
FUNERAL DIRECTOR.
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These large rugs are the most economical and the easiest handled carpet for any room, and can be used in any room. The above specials should have your early attention.

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In the Spring

is the time to buy lots; all Nature is at its best, fields green, landscape bright with blossoms and foliage, inviting weather and clear, blue skies. Make sure you select the right location. If you encounter a plan laid out in the woods or on a bare, poorly-graded hillside, put this question to yourself: "Is the price low enough so that, after grading and filling up my lot and paying for paving, sidewalks, sewers, water connections, public improvements and interest on the unpaid portion of the contract, I will still come out whole, and feel satisfied with my investment?" Don't be carried away by what "others are doing?" Go at it calmly. If there are no churches, stores, schools or pleasant neighbors, just calculate on the soon-ness or lateness of your having these very essential surroundings.

If you have not done so, go out and see KNOXVILLE, the City Beautiful; this lovely suburb is looking its prettiest. The prospects were never so bright and cheery for this suburban paradise as now. Nature made it the pleasantest and healthiest spot in Allegheny county, and only the lack of transportation facilities kept it back from being the choicest and most exclusive residence section around Pittsburgh. However, now the Tunnel has solved the difficulty once and for all. A cool ride of 10 or 12 minutes through the tunnel on the "Knoxville" cars and you step off at the finest and most salubrious community to be found around any large city—a little rural Greater Pittsburgh residence gem.

The KNOXVILLE LAND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY still has 700 elegant lots to offer, and they are BARGAINS. Now if you don't like a shady, quiet, orderly community, with good schools, churches, stores, libraries, splendid street car service, PURE AIR and fresh breezes with LOW TAXES, don't come to Knoxville.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 5.)

AN ORDINANCE—To authorize the proper officers for and in behalf of the City of Allegheny to advertise for bids for the printing and binding of the annual reports of the various departments of the city for the fiscal year 1904-1905.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the proper officers of the said city be and they are hereby authorized and empowered in the name and on behalf of the said City of Allegheny, to advertise for bids for the printing and binding of the annual reports of the various departments of the city, for the fiscal year 1904-1905, and award the contracts therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Section 2—That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.

Attest:
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

B. & B.

women's fine hosiery

Never has there been such a demand for solid color Hose to match gowns as this season of 1905.

We went into the Hosiery business this season determined to largely increase the sales and it has been done.

Invested a larger amount of money in fine Hosiery than any former season.

Style, texture, color and quality was considered first—and then price was arranged for—and cash down on delivery of goods got concessions.

Buyers of fine Hoisery will find all the above verified—be agreeably surprised at the stock of beautiful Hosiery—be much better suited and save money.

Women's Solid color Gauze Lisle Hose, 50c—not only heel and toe double—but double sole—so that you get beauty, texture and service combined at a moderate price—exquisite colors—Emerald, Reseda, New Tans, Pinkish Browns, Violet, Mandarin, Geranium, Nile, Pink, Sky, Alice, Red, French Blues, White and Black.

Hosiery that's charming to wear with simple white frocks or white frocks with colored figures, or with white oxfords or with oxfords same color as hose.

Women's pure thread Silk Hose, $2.00—New Tans, French Greys, Pinkish Browns, Sage, Blue, Claret, Mahogany, Sky, Nile, Pink, Lavender, Emerald, New Tans—Silk Hose texture and colorings that will convince more buyers of advantages than any lines they'll find anywhere.

Orders taken to have Hosiery made to exactly match any gown—in ten days' time.

Solid color Silk Embroidered Lisle Hose, $1.00—all the superb shades—such value and showing as will command attention.

Solid color fine Fancy and Embroidered Hosiery, 25c to finest novelties in Silk, $7.50 a pair.

White Gauze Lisle—all Lace and Lace ankle, 25c to $1.00 and up to White silk at $7.50.

Black pure Silk thread Hose—cotton or all silk sole, $1.25.

Special make of very sheer Black Gauze Lisle Hose $1.25 a pair that are quite in favor with all who are fond of dainty, pretty things.

Assortments of Black Hosiery in plain and fancies beyond any ever submitted, 25c to $7.00.

Babies' and Children's Hosiery—Misses' and Boys' Hosiery—is as prominent a feature as the women's.

If this Hosiery business is done better here—greater variety of choice and practical kinds—without the attending extravagant prices—as are often charged—and we say it is—then we are entitled to the greatly increased Hosiery business now coming.

shoes

—that is, Low Shoes.

We have other kinds and large assortments thereof, but Low Shoes are selling ten to one.

Ladies' White Duck Ribbon Ties, $2.50.

White Duck Blucher Oxfords, $2.00.

Patent Kid, Tan Russia Calf and Vici Kid, welt sewed, Ribbon Ties, $2.50 a pair.

Oxfords, $1.50 to $6.50 a pair.

The wonderful way this Shoe business has grown may be caused by a different method of pricing—we're told it is.

Men's Tan Russia Pudge Toe, Button Oxfords, $4.00.

Men's Shoes and Oxfords, all leathers, $2.00 to $6.50.

Boys' Tan Russia Pota Toe Blucher Oxfords, $2.75 and $3.00—according to size.

Boys' Shoes and Oxfords, all styles and leathers.

Probably pay you to investigate.

girls and misses

The store has always made extra efforts to provide the newest and choicest ready-to-wear Garments for lassies and young women.

But the showing now excels any ever attempted—more various and comprehensive.

Girls' one-piece Wash Dresses, $1.00 to $8.50.

Girls' two-piece Russian Dresses, $4.50 to $10.00.

Something entirely new for the junior girls—sizes 12 to 16 years—one-piece Dresses and Suspender styles, $10.00 to $22.50—quaint styles something like the Garibaldi styles of our grandmother's early days.

Light weight Reefers—Cloth, Silk and Pongee—all nicely trimmed—$5.00 and $6.50 ones for **$3.50**—sizes 2 to 6 years.

Three-quarter length—6 to 14 years—Mixtures and Checks—$8.50 ones, **$5.00**

New White Lawn Waists for girls to wear with suspender suits or guimpe dresses, 50c, 65c, $1.00 and $1.50.

Waists, 50c to $6.00—hand embroidered and strictly hand made.

Separate Suspender Skirts, plain and check chambray, $2.00—Tan Linen, $2.25—sizes 4 to 14 years.

"the ultimate passion"

—by Philip Mighels, who set half America a-sobbing by his clever book, "Bruvver Jim's Baby," is now at the Book Department, $1.08—a different theme but of masterful interest. Others new are: "Mrs. Darrell," Foxcroft Davis—and "Sturmsee, Man to Man," by the author of "Calmire, Man to Nature"—a wonderful philosophical argument clothed in interesting fiction.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 3.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the mayor and the director of the department of public works to advertise for proposals for the sale of scrap iron and award the contract therefor to the highest responsible bidder for the same.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the mayor and the director of the department of public works be and are hereby authorized to advertise for proposals for the sale of scrap iron and award the contract therefor to the highest responsible bidder for the same, from the date of letting the contract until the first day of March, 1906.

Section 2—That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.

Attest:
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 24.)

AN ORDINANCE—Requiring the owners of property in the city of Allegheny to lay, set and keep in repair the sidewalks and curbstone in front of their property, providing for notice to property owners to do said work and on their failure to comply therewith authorizing and ordering the awarding of contracts for doing said work, and providing for the collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be the duty of the owners of property abutting upon any of the streets, lanes or alleys, of the city of Allegheny, to lay, set and keep in repair the sidewalks and curbstone in front of his, her or their property.

Said sidewalk shall be laid and curb set upon such lines as shall be designated by the city engineer, and be constructed of such material as shall be designated by the director of the department of public works, and to his satisfaction.

Sec. 2. Whenever in the judgment of the superintendent of the bureau of highways and sewers any sidewalk or curbstone in the city of Allegheny shall be out of repair, or whenever in his judgment it may be necessary to relay or repair any sidewalk, or to reset or repair any curbstone, he shall notify the owners of any lot or lots of ground or premises abutting thereon, to do said work within 10 days. Such notice shall be in writing, and may be served upon owners who are residents of the city of Allegheny, either personally or by leaving a copy at their place of residence with an adult member of their family. If any of said owners are not residents of the city of Allegheny, said notice may be served upon their agent or the person in possession of the property. If there be no agent or party in possession it may be posted on the most public part of the property.

Sec. 3. If any owner shall fail to comply with said notice, the mayor and the director of the department of public works are hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract or contracts with responsible contractors for the doing of said work, and cause the same to be completed. The cost and expense thereof shall not be payable out of the city treasury, but said contracts shall contain a clause providing that the contracter shall present his bills therefor to the owners of the abutting property for collection. In default of payment the said cost and expense shall be a charge upon the properties in front of which said work shall be done, and liens shall be filed therefor to the use of the contractor, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto.

Sec. 4. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 4.)

AN ORDINANCE—Defining the word "supplies" in item No. 5, appropriation No. 11, bureau of highways and sewers, department of public works, in an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance making appropriations for the fiscal year beginning March 1, 1905," approved February 7, 1905.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the word "supplies" in item No. 5, appropriation No. 11, bureau of highways and sewers, department of public works, in an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance making appropriations for the fiscal year beginning March 1, 1905," approved the 7th day of February, 1905, shall be taken to include all supplies used in Riverview Park, including stable supplies, grease, salt, oil, coal, blacksmithing, horse feed, iron work, sheet metal work, drugs, brushes, paint, harness and repairs, glass, plumbing, tinning, horses, wagons and carts, wagon repairs, rope hardware, lumber, rubber hose, rubber goods, transportation, sweepers and brooms, push brooms, cement, sewer pipe, block stone and all miscellaneous supplies, the true intent and meaning of this ordinance being that all supplies of whatever kind used in Riverview Park shall be paid out of said item No. 5, and not out of any other item.

Section 2—That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.

Attest:
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 27.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the building of a manifold system sixty (60) inch steel pipe line and appurtenances at the Montrose pumping station, and providing for the payment of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the building of a manifold system, sixty (60) inch pipe line and appurtenances at the Montrose pumping station, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided. The cost and expense of said improvement to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of water extension bonds voted February 21, 1906.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20th, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

DIES TRYING TO SAVE HIS FRIEND

Daniel Wright Is Electrocuted While Endeavoring to Release Joseph Kacob.

SALESGIRL COMMITS SUICIDE

In trying to save his fellow workman, Daniel Wright of 110 Pearl street, Allegheny, was electrocuted on the roof of the plant of the Consolidated Ice Company, at North and Irwin avenues, Allegheny, yesterday afternoon. Wright and Joseph Kocab of 138 Villa street, Allegheny, who were employed as laborers at the plant, were repairing the roof of the building. Kocab accidentally grasped a live electric wire, and when Wright saw his predicament, he went to Kocab's assistance and attempted to pull the wire out of the man's grasp. He received the current through his body and died before he could be rescued. Kocab, who suffered severely from shock, was taken to his home.

While returning from work at 6 o'clock last evening Philip Biehl, aged 35, of 20 Sarah street, Allegheny, was killed in Brighton road, near Brighton place, Allegheny. Biehl was riding on the running board of open car 1749, on the Brighton road division, and jumped off backward, while the car was in motion. He struck the street with force and when the car was stopped and people reached him, it was found his neck was broken. He died shortly afterward and the body was removed to his home by the car on which he had been riding.

Hurt on His First Day.

Clarence Ostrander, aged 18, who was working his first day as a conductor, at 7:45 o'clock last evening stopped his car on the California avenue division to fix the running board, which had become out of order at Fremont and Jackson streets, Allegheny. While working at the running board another car came in the opposite direction, but Ostrander did not notice it, and was struck on the head. He received several severe scalp wounds. He was taken to the Allegheny General hospital in the traction wagon. He lives at Island and Winifred streets, Allegheny.

Alexander Fiddler, aged 24, of Millvale, was badly cut on the head and bruised about the body, by being struck by an engine on the Pittsburgh Junction railroad, near the Walker soap factory on Herrs island, about 9 o'clock last night. He was taken to the Allegheny General hospital.

Frank R. Albert, a miner employed at the Witch Hazel Coal Company mines at Beadling, was crushed to death in a fall of slate in the mine yesterday.

Young Woman Takes Poison.

Mary Berry, aged 25, a saleswoman who had been out of employment for two months, was found dead yesterday morning on the porch of John Glenn's house, 1221 Woodland avenue, Allegheny. A bottle which had contained phenol was found by her side. Her lips were burned by the poison. The girl had been making her home with the Glenn family for several days. She had been acquainted with the family since childhood. Her parents are dead, and she resigned her position and since that time had been despondent. The woman got up in the night and went to the porch, where she drank the poison. She was found by Mr. Glenn.

Louis, the two-year-old son of Louis Soulchebk, of McDonald, died yesterday from drinking lye, which he found on the kitchen floor. His mother was cleaning house and the child was playing about the kitchen and found the bottle of poison. He died an hour after drinking it.

May Be Her Husband.

The coroner was notified last night by Mrs. Charles White of Wheeling, to hold the body of T. C. Hillman, who was found dead in the Ohio river at the foot of Wilkins street, Allegheny. Hillman was the man drowned off the steamer Independent several days ago. He had been working on the boat for three days when he met with the accident. On his clothing was found the name "C. E. White of Wheeling." The Wheeling woman believes it to be the body of her husband.

The body of an unknown man was found drowned in the Ohio river at McKees Rocks yesterday. Nothing was found on his person by which he could be identified.

The body of a three-months-old girl was found dead yesterday in Lower St. Clair township. The child had been dead but a short time, and it is believed it was placed on the roadway by its parents, who were too poor to bury it. The child is thought to have died from natural causes. The coroner is investigating.

Frank McGraw, a yardmaster on the West Penn railroad, was seriously hurt at Kiskimenetas Junction last night, when he stepped from a freight engine directly in front of a fast passenger train. He received a compound fracture of the right leg and internal injuries. He was taken to the Allegheny General hospital. McGraw is aged 38, married and lives in Freeport.

Joseph Scheriff, a fireman connected with No. 15 engine company, was burned about the legs last night by the explosion of a signal lantern at the engine house. The lanterns are used to signal cars and wagons when the company is about to answer an alarm.

CHARGES OFFICIALS WITH MALFEASANCE IN OFFICE

Ex-Chief of Police of Greenville Brings Action Against Two Councilmen.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

GREENVILLE, May 23.—Quo warranto proceedings have been commenced against Councilmen J. L. Riley and George H. Heilman for malfeasance in office. The proceedings were brought by former Chief of Police Clark Hamor and papers in the case were served today. Riley and Heilman are members of contracting firms and are alleged to have furnished material and done the work in remodeling the city building. It is alleged the borough officials did not ask for bids on the work, but awarded the contracts to firms in which the councilmen are interested. The prosecutor, Clark Hamor, was recently deposed as chief of police. A rule to show cause why the defendants should not be removed from office has been granted by Judge A. W. Williams.

CONNELLSVILLE, May 23.—It has been discovered that treasurers of Fayette county since 1891 have retained commissions for turning over liquor license money to the boroughs. The Connellsville borough solicitor will endeavor to get the other boroughs of the county to co-operate with him in proceedings to recover the money. Since 1891 the county treasurers have been Daniel Johnson, R. C. Hough and R. A. McLean. It is likely that boroughs in many other counties of the state are in the same position. Previous to 1891 the county treasurers were allowed by law to retain a commission for turning over to the boroughs their share of the money derived from the granting of liquor licenses. In 1891 the legislature passed an act providing that the county treasurer should be paid by the county only for collecting the license money and turning over to the boroughs and townships their share. Superior court proceedings show that decisions have been rendered in favor of boroughs in three like cases.

Mrs. Fitzgerald Returns.

UNIONTOWN, May 23.—(Special.)—Mrs. Lydia Fitzgerald and her mother, Mrs. Lenora Niccolls, arrived home in Uniontown this morning from London, England, where Mrs. Fitzgerald's case against her husband, Gerald Fitzgerald, for divorce and the custody of the three children, was postponed for several months. The children are now in London in charge of their father. Mrs. Fitzgerald and Mrs. Niccolls will return to London to be present when the case comes up.

Change of Time on West Penn Division of Pennsylvania Railroad, Taking Effect on May 28, 1905.

Trains 401, 435, 405, 404, 436 and 406, at present running to and from Federal street station, Allegheny, will arrive and depart from Union station, Pittsburgh, on new time table.

POLLIARD TICKET WINS IN CONTEST

Bank Clerks Choose the Opposition Candidates in a Close Election.

LARGEST CHAPTER IN COUNTRY

The "Polliard-Murdoch" ticket in the contest for offices in the Pittsburgh chapter of the American Institute of Bank Clerks won at last evening's annual election. The four officers and five of the six directors nominated on this ticket were elected. A record-breaking vote was polled, and the announcement was made that partly as the result of the strenuous campaign the chapter had doubled in membership and is now the largest chapter in the entire institute, exceeding in number of members both Chicago and New York.

On motion of J. S. M. Phillips, the candidate for the chairmanship on the "Chapter" ticket, the election of Mr. Polliard was made unanimous.

Last evening's election wound up a campaign which has never been equalled in Pittsburgh chapter for resourcefulness and energy expended by both sides. The closeness of the result, with a plurality of only 50 for the winner out of over 550 ballots cast, shows the evenness of the race between the two leading tickets.

The winners are: Chairman, Frank M. Polliard, Real Estate Trust Company, 220 votes; vice chairman, Alexander Murdoch, Pittsburgh Bank for Savings, 305 votes; recorder (unopposed), J. B. Crist, Mellon National bank, 551; treasurer, John DeM. Werts, Peoples National bank, 280; directors, B. O. Hill, Second National, 272; William H. Jolly, Peoples National, 216; R. B. Hansell, Allegheny Trust Company, 294; Oscar Kapff, German National, 226; Simpson Musgrave, N. Holmes & Sons, 296; C. W. Arnold, Diamond National, 309. Mr. Jolly is the "Chapter" ticket man elected.

Delegate Vote Not Counted.

The number of votes given the defeated candidates was not announced. The vote for delegates to the coming national convention of the institute was also unannounced, owing to the large number of candidates and the need of more time for counting the ballots. The announcement will be made this week through the daily newspapers.

The polls were open from 5 to 9 o'clock last evening at the new home of the chapter, on the third floor of the Holmes bank building, at Fourth avenue and Wood street. Headquarters had been established by both the chapter and Polliard-Murdoch campaign managers in the hall. The Baker ballot, with the party circle, was used, there being three tickets in the field. Two alone figured extensively, the "Independent" ticket, headed by Clarence V. Tiers, having entered the field too late to be a considerable factor.

It required two hours to count the ballots, and in the interval between the close of the polls and the announcement of the winners the several hundred members heard the annual reports of the chapter and were entertained by a minstrel performance, piano music and speeches.

The report of Treasurer T. S. McNary showed a balance of $680.92 in the treasury. The report of Recorder J. B. Crist evoked much enthusiasm, as it showed a remarkable growth of the chapter. It showed 256 members from 28 Pittsburgh national banks; 195 members from 28 Pittsburgh trust companies, and 106 from 25 savings and state banks of Pittsburgh, a total of 557 from Pittsburgh. Ten Allegheny banks contributed 30 members, and 71 country banks, 129 members, while there are six honorary, 10 associate and 15 miscellaneous members, a total of 747. The next largest chapter, that at Chicago, is said to have 710 members.

Bankers Make Addresses.

These points were emphasized in a short speech by the retiring chairman, John S. Swartz, who thanked the other officers and the members for their cordial support during the year.

Short talks were made by W. S. Van Dyke, secretary-treasurer of the Real Estate Trust Company; George Kirsch, treasurer of the South Side Trust Company; George H. Fulton, cashier of the Fourth National; John E. Haines, assistant cashier of the Federal National; E. E. Kehew, Keystone National; H. S. Hershberger, treasurer West End Savings and Trust Company, and A. N. Voegtly, paying teller Pittsburgh Bank for Savings.

The leading entertainment feature was furnished by the "Mudtown Minstrels," composed of William Y. Taylor, paymaster of the Pittsburgh Railways Company; S. B. Cummings of the Traders and Mechanics bank; Fred Astin and John Cox of Crafton and Edmund Allison of Ingram, with Dr. A. M. King as accompanist. Henry G. Hetzel, treasurer of the Central Trust Company, also rendered some piano selections.

Total Abstinence Rally Held.

JEANNETTE, May 23.—(Special.)—Members of the Catholic Total Abstinence union from Crabtree, Irwin, Latrobe, Greensburg and Madison attended a rally held here this evening in the Sacred Heart church. Vice President A. B. Floyd of Irwin presided. Among the speakers were the Rev. Father John Beane of Pittsburgh, president of the diocesan union, and the Rev. Father Meinard, O. S. P., rector of Sacred Heart church, Jeannette. It is proposed to establish a branch of the union here.

Buying Rights of Way.

IRWIN, May 23.—(Special.)—The Pittsburgh, McKeesport and Greensburg Traction Company is not only closing the gap between Irwin and Trafford City, but is purchasing rights of way for a direct line between Irwin and Manor via Shafton and Westmoreland City. Several thousands of dollars have already been paid for private rights of way.

BOULEVARD ATTORNEYS GO TO HARRISBURG

Both Sides Expect to Appear Before the Attorney General Today.

A. Leo Weil and S. W. Childs, attorneys for the Voters' Civic league, and James H. Beal, attorney for the Grand and Liberty Street Railway Company and other interests in the Grant boulevard franchise, went to Harrisburg last night, and it is supposed their mission has to do with the application of the Voters' Civic league before the attorney general for quo warranto proceedings to be instituted in his name against the defendant companies.

The application was filed last week and it is believed the attorney general is to grant both sides a hearing today. The Voters' Civic league is asking the attorney general to act as plaintiff in the case, instead of the district attorney of Allegheny county, in whose name the case was originally brought, but withdrawn on Monday by the league on the ground that it was impossible to obtain an impartial jury on the panel now serving in this county, and that Judge Marshall Brown is a relative of one of the councilmen alleged to have been improperly influenced.

DYNAMITE CAPS IN SHOE.

Uniontown Woman Believes Some Person Has Made an Attempt to Take Her Life.

UNIONTOWN, May 23.—(Special.)—Mrs. Lula Engle has reported to the authorities that she believes an attempt on her life was made by some person who secreted four dynamite caps in the heel of a new pair of shoes, which were left beside the walk in her front yard. When Mrs. Engle began to try them on, a slight protrusion was noticed in the right heel. Mrs. Engle pulled out the insole and in a little hollow was secreted the dynamite caps.

District Attorney T. H. Hudson has started an investigation. Mrs. Engle has suspicions.

MACCABEES ENTERTAIN.

Delight a Big Audience in G. A. R. Hall With a Varied Program.

The entertainment given last night at Grand Army of the Republic hall, 316 Fifth avenue, by Iron City tent No. 279, Knights of the Maccabees, was a success in every particular, thanks to the good work of the entertainment committee. A large audience was present, and the performers were in the best of form. There was instrumental music by J. W. Eckles and Pierre de Bacher, singing by D. A. Meekins, Deane B. Hamilton and the "Patriotic Colored quartet;" a recitation by L. M. Barto and varied performances by Tieche and Giesecke, magicians; Henry Shiring, Albert Scorboo and the Yates family.

The following composed the entertainment committee: Fred I. Cook, chairman; E. A. Tieche, J. S. Wallace, H. K. Wright, L. M. Barto, D. McArthur and W. C. Shannon.

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Are An Assured Success.

Surprising how many people took advantage of our club offer last week. Many others have sent in for catalogues and instructions and are now forming clubs of ten members. Cabinets on the first five orders from each district will be delivered immediately—so all can see them in the homes. Here are the terms of payment:
$2.75 Down on the $27 Cabinets and 75c a Week
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$3.75 Down on the $37 Cabinets and $1.00 a Week

By the use of a McDougall Kitchen Cabinet, the housewife may dispense with kitchen cupboards, **thus saving space.** By its use, she may have all the implements of her craft assembled at her finger's-ends, **thus saving strength.** By its use she may have all her supplies and utensils arranged in the most systematic manner, **thus saving time.**

A look at these McDougall Kitchen Cabinets will tell you more than will columns of talk. You have seen them advertised in the leading magazines—now you can see the cabinets. More than a dozen models will be on display at our store during this week. Will you not inspect them carefully and let us have the benefit of your judgment, your suggestions and your criticisms—if there be any—which we doubt. You will be amply repaid for your visit as no such complete and attractive display of kitchen furnishings has ever before been attempted.

These are the identical cabinets you constantly see advertised so forcefully in "The Ladies' Home Journal", "The Woman's Home Companion", "Country Life in America", "House Beautiful", "Good Housekeeping", "Century", and many others of the leading magazines.

W. H. KEECH CO. KEECH'S FURNITURE MAKES HAPPY HOMES 923 to 931 PENN AVE.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 22.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a public sewer on Orleans street, Fifteenth ward, from a point at the southern end of Viola street to Delaware street; thence along Delaware street to connect with Perrysville avenue, sewer; sewer on Orleans street to be laid along the entire east sidewalk and on the west sidewalk from Viola street to Viola street, to connect with sewer on east sidewalk, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a public sewer on Orleans street, Fifteenth ward, from a point at the southern end of Viola street to Delaware street; thence along Delaware street to connect with Perrysville avenue sewer; sewer on Orleans street to be laid along the entire east sidewalk, and on the west sidewalk from Viola street to Viola street to connect with present sewer on east sidewalk is hereby authorized and ordered and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specification therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20th, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 23.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the purchase of 125 tons, more or less, of refined asphalt in accordance with the specifications of the department of public works, for the use of asphalt repair plant in the bureau of highways and sewers, instructing the mayor and director of the department of public works to advertise for proposals and award the contract for the same, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the purchase of one hundred twenty-five (125) tons, more or less, of refined asphalt in accordance with specifications of the department of public works, for use of asphalt repair plant in the bureau of highways and sewers is hereby authorized and ordered, and the mayor and the director of the department of public works are hereby authorized to advertise for proposals for the same, and award the contract therefor, in accordance with the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost therefor to be paid out of item No. 1, appropriation No. 11, bureau of highways and sewers.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20th, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 11.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the issue and sale of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000.00) of bonds of the city of Allegheny for the purpose of building, equipping and furnishing an engine house in the Fourteenth ward of the city of Allegheny, and for the purchase of the ground upon which to erect the same, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of the interest thereon.

Whereas, by an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the submission to a vote of the electors of the city of Allegheny the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of $25,000.00 for the purpose of building, equipping and furnishing an engine house in the Fourteenth ward of the city of Allegheny, and for the purchase of the ground upon which to erect the same, approved by the mayor on the 16th day of January, 1905, the corporate authorities of the city of Allegheny signified their desire that the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of $25,000.00 for the purposes therein named, be submitted to the electors of said city of Allegheny at the municipal election held on Tuesday the 21st day of February, 1905, in accordance with the laws of the state of Pennsylvania, and

Whereas, Proper and timely notice having been given according to law, such election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and duly certified returns thereof, together with a certified copy of the said ordinance and proper proofs of publication and advertisement were duly made and recorded, in every respect as required by law; and

Whereas, By the returns of said election it appears that a majority of the electors voting at said election voted for said proposed increase of indebtedness; therefore

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an issue of bonds in the name of the city of Allegheny, to be designated "Public Safety Bonds, 1905," to the aggregate amount of $25,000.00, be and the same is hereby authorized.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall bear date June 1, 1905, and shall be registered in the office of the controller of the city of Allegheny, and shall be issued in denominations of one hundred dollars each or multiples thereof to suit purchasers, and shall be payable as follows, to-wit: Bonds to the aggregate amount of $800.00 shall be payable on the first day of June, 1906, and bonds to the aggregate amount of $800.00 shall be payable on the first day of June of each year for a period of nineteen years thereafter, and bonds to the aggregate amount of $900.00 shall be payable on the first day of June, 1926, and bonds to the aggregate amount of $900 shall be payable on the first day of June of each year for a period of nine years thereafter. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the city controller of the city of Allegheny, on the first days of June and December of each year, and the principal thereof shall be payable at their maturity at the same place. Said bonds shall be signed by the mayor and countersigned by the city controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the city of Allegheny, and the proceeds thereof shall be applied exclusively for the purpose of building, equipping and furnishing an engine house in the Fourteenth ward of the city of Allegheny, and for the purchase of the ground upon which to erect the same.

Sec. 3. Until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for such purposes, a tax for the payment of the principal and interest thereof as the same shall become due and payable, as follows, to-wit: for the year 1906, $1,800.00; for the year 1907, $1,768.00; for the year 1908, $1,736.00; for the year 1909, $1,704.00; for the year 1910, $1,672.00; for the year 1911, $1,640.00; for the year 1912, $1,608.00; for the year 1913, $1,576.00; for the year 1914, $1,544.00; for the year 1915, $1,512.00; for the year 1916, $1,480.00; for the year 1917, $1,448.00; for the year 1918, $1,416.00; for the year 1919, $1,384.00; for the year 1920, $1,352.00; for the year 1921, $1,320.00; for the year 1922, $1,288.00; for the year 1923, $1,256.00; for the year 1924, $1,224.00; for the year 1925, $1,192.00; for the year 1926, $1,260.00; for the year 1927, $1,224.00; for the year 1928, $1,188.00; for the year 1929, $1,152.00; for the year 1930, $1,116.00; for the year 1931, $1,080.00; for the year 1932, $1,044.00; for the year 1933, $1,008.00; for the year 1934, $972.00; for the year 1935, $936.00. And the said amount for each year respectively is hereby appropriated out of the revenues of the said city for the payment and redemption of the said bonds and interest as aforesaid and for no other purpose whatever.

Sec. 4. All bonds issued by virtue of this ordinance and the acts of assembly authorizing the same shall be and become a part of the funded debt of the city of Allegheny and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and for the payment of the principal of the said bonds and the interest thereon as the same shall mature or become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said city are hereby pledged.

Sec. 5. The city controller is hereby authorized and instructed to advertise for proposals for the sale of said bonds and the mayor and the city controller are hereby authorized and directed to issue and sell said bonds in accordance with the provisions of the act of assembly in such case made and provided.

Sec. 6. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 9.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the issue and sale of ninety thousand ($90,000.00) dollars of bonds of the city of Allegheny for the purpose of making repairs and improvements in Central and Riverview Parks in the city of Allegheny, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of the interest thereon.

Whereas, By an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the submission to a vote of the electors of the city of Allegheny the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of $90,000.00 for the purpose of making repairs and improvements in Central and Riverview Parks in the city of Allegheny," approved by the mayor on the sixteenth day of January, 1905, the corporate authorities of the city of Allegheny signified their desire that the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of $90,000.00 for the purposes therein named, be submitted to the electors of said city of Allegheny at the municipal election held on Tuesday, the 21st day of February, 1905, in accordance with the laws of the state of Pennsylvania, and

Whereas, Proper and timely notice having been given according to law, such election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and duly certified returns thereof, together with a certified copy of the said ordinance and proper proofs of publication and advertisement were duly made and recorded, in every respect as required by law; and

Whereas, By the returns of said election it appears that a majority of the electors voting at said election voted for said proposed increase of indebtedness; therefore

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an issue of bonds in the name of the city of Allegheny, to be designated "Park Bonds, 1905," to the aggregate amount of $90,000.00, be and the same is hereby authorized.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall bear date June 1st, 1905, and shall be registered in the office of the controller of the city of Allegheny, and shall be issued in denominations of one hundred dollars each or multiples thereof to suit purchasers, and shall be payable as follows, to-wit: Bonds to the aggregate amount of three thousand dollars shall be payable on the first day of June, 1906, and bonds to the aggregate amount of three thousand dollars shall be payable on the first day of June of each year for a period of twenty-nine years thereafter. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the city controller of the city of Allegheny, on the first days of June and December of each year, and the principal thereof shall be payable at their maturity at the same place. Said bonds shall be signed by the mayor and countersigned by the city controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the city of Allegheny, and the proceeds thereof shall be applied exclusively for the purpose of making repairs and improvements in Central and Riverview Parks in the city of Allegheny.

Sec. 3. Until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for such purposes, a tax for the payment of the principal and interest thereof as the same shall become due and payable as follows, to-wit: for the year 1906, $6,600.00; for the year 1907, $6,480.00; for the year 1908, $6,360.00; for the year 1909, $6,240; for the year 1910, $6,120.00; for the year 1911, $6,000.00; for the year 1912, $5,880.00; for the year 1913, $5,760.00; for the year 1914, $5,640.00; for the year 1915, $5,520.00; for the year 1916, $5,400.00; for the year 1917, $5,280.00; for the year 1918, $5,160.00; for the year 1919, $5,040.00; for the year 1920, $4,920.00; for the year 1921, $4,800.00; for the year 1922, $4,680.00; for the year 1923, $4,560.00; for the year 1924, $4,440.00; for the year 1925, $4,320.00; for the year 1926, $4,200.00; for the year 1927, $4,080.00; for the year 1928, $3,960.00; for the year 1929, $3,840.00; for the year 1930, $3,720.00; for the year 1931, $3,600.00; for the year 1932, $3,480.00; for the year 1933, $3,360.00; for the year 1934, $3,240.00; for the year 1935, $3,120.00. And the said amount for each year respectively is hereby appropriated out of the revenues of the said city for the payment and redemption of the said bonds and interest as aforesaid and for no other purpose whatever.

Sec. 4. All bonds issued by virtue of this ordinance and the acts of assembly authorizing the same shall be and become a part of the funded debt of the city of Allegheny and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and for the payment of the principal of the said bonds and the interest thereon as the same shall mature or become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said city are hereby pledged.

Sec. 5. The city controller is hereby authorized and instructed to advertise for proposals for the sale of said bonds, and the mayor and the city controller are hereby authorized and directed to issue and sell said bonds in accordance with the provisions of the act of assembly in such case made and provided.

Sec. 6. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20th, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

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The new Empire designs and colorings in Reed and Willow.
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ROOSEVELT SENDS WAITERS REGRET

President and Booker T. Washington Are Unable to Attend a Local Convention.

TIPPING IS TO BE DISCUSSED

President Roosevelt, Booker T. Washington and Gov. Pennypacker have sent their regrets, expressing their inability to be present at a convention of negro waiters of the United States, which is being held in Pittsburgh this week.

The "Head, Second and Side Waiters' National Benefit Association of America" is holding its eighth annual convention in the Trinity African Methodist Episcopal church, Fifth avenue, and invited the president, the governor and Mr. Washington to be its guests of honor. They give various reasons for not being able to attend. From the White House is received an engraved reply that "The president regrets his inability to accept the courteous invitation for May 23 to 26, 1905." Bromley Wharton, secretary for the state executive, writes that Gov. Pennypacker will not be present owing to a prior engagement. Mr. Washington writes, over his own signature, that exercises at the Tuskogee institute this week, prevents him from coming. Notwithstanding the failure of these distinguished men to grace the convention with their presence, the sessions, which began yesterday and will continue until Friday, promise to be exceedingly interesting.

Mayor Send a Substitute.

Another prominent citizen to disappoint the convention was Mayor Hays of Pittsburgh, who was down for the address of welcome. Instead of appearing himself, the mayor appointed Assistant City Solicitor L. S. Levin to perform the task.

The first session was held yesterday afternoon. There were three responses to the welcome of the mayor's substitute. They were delivered by J. W. Holmes, W. A. Gales and the Rev. Mr. Mayor of North Carolina. An executive session will be held this morning and public sessions this afternoon and tomorrow afternoon. The convention will adjourn Friday morning, and on Friday evening a banquet and reception will take place in Turner hall, Forbes street.

Tipping waiters will be the most serious question which the convention will have to deal with. The leaders of the organization are demanding that the convention adopt some fixed policy regarding the giving of tips to waiters and the rates that guests shall be expected to pay. One proposition is that tips shall be on the 10 per cent basis—that the guest shall pay the waiter 10 cents for each dollar's worth of food or drink he consumes.

Favors Tipping System.

Henry Jones, secretary, and one of the most prominent members of the Pittsburgh local, is in favor of the convention leaving the tipping question alone. He says proprietors of hotels and restaurants do not pay their waiters living wages, and that if the tipping system was abolished, waiters would be tempted to give short change.

"How a waiter should conduct himself in the dining room," by Henry Pettigrew of Pittsburgh, will be one of the chief addresses of the convention tomorrow evening. James G. Garber, manager of McCreery's restaurant, will make an address this afternoon. The organization is composed of about 1,000 waiters and has been in existence about five years. It is a beneficial body.

GOTHAM BANK FAILS.

Merchants Trust Company, With Liabilities of $2,200,000, Is Ordered to Close Its Doors.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The Merchants Trust Company of this city was closed today by the order of the state superintendent of banks because it had made loans amounting to about $1,250,000 upon which it had not been able to realize a sufficient sum to pay depositors and save the capital of the company from impairment. Upon the application of the state attorney general, Douglas Robinson, a brother-in-law of President Roosevelt, was appointed one of the receivers of the company.

The trust company owes depositors about $2,200,000 and, according to the state bank examiner, has available assets of nearly $1,300,000, so that it will be necessary to realize $950,000 to pay depositors. The stockholders are liable to the extent of $500,000.

Interesting Memorial Services.

One of the specially interesting memorial services to be held next Sunday, will be that in memory of the early settlers, and their descendants, who are interred in the old Turner burial ground in the Squirrel Hill district. These services will be held at the Mary S. Brown Memorial Methodist Episcopal church, in Saline avenue, near Hazelwood avenue. A memorial address will be delivered by the Rev. Dr. C. V. Wilson, pastor, and Samuel Stewart will deliver a historical address. In the evening at the same church a memorial service will be held in honor of veterans of the civil war.

Pittsburgh to St. Louis in 15 Hours.

Beginning with Sunday, May 28, the Pennsylvania Short Line will quicken the time of "The St. Louis Special" by three hours between Pittsburgh and St. Louis, through Columbus and Indianapolis.

On and after above date "The St. Louis Special," a solid vestibuled train of coaches and sleeping cars, will leave Pittsburgh Union Station every day at 5 o'clock p. m., Central time (6 o'clock p. m., Pittsburgh time), arriving at St. Louis the next morning at 8 o'clock over the Pennsylvania Short Line and over the Merchants Bridge. Pennsylvania Dining Car Service, table d'hote, Pittsburgh to Columbus.

For complete information regarding the passenger service of the Pennsylvania Lines West please call upon or address J. K. Dillon, District Passenger Agent Room 515 Park Building, or apply at Pittsburgh Ticket Office, 360 Fifth Avenue and at Union Station, Pittsburgh.

Change of Time on West Penn Division of Pennsylvania Railroad, Taking Effect on May 28, 1905.

Trains 401, 425, 405, 404, 436 and 406, at present running to and from Federal street station, Allegheny, will arrive and depart from Union station, Pittsburgh, on new time table.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT MAY SPEAK AT CANTON

Is Invited by Justice Day to Attend McKinley Memorial Exercises.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—If pressing business does not intervene, President Roosevelt will deliver the address at the laying of the corner stone of the McKinley memorial at Canton, O., this fall. This is the substance of the reply that was given to Justice Day of the supreme court, who extended an invitation on behalf of the McKinley Memorial association. The president expressed a desire to participate in the exercises, but feared to give a definite promise to attend any event so far in advance.

Justice Day also conferred with the president today about appointment of two trustees of the McKinley Memorial association to fill vacancies caused by the deaths of Postmaster General Henry C. Payne and Judge Eli S. Hammond of Tennessee. The president selected Judge Horace H. Lurton of Nashville to take the place of Judge Hammond, and Charles G. Dawes of Chicago, former comptroller of the currency, to take the place of Mr. Payne. Mr. Dawes was among the closest personal friends of President McKinley. He is now at the head of one of the large banking institutions of Chicago.

Justice Day said that there is considerable work for the association to do. It has on hand $500,000, a sufficient sum to construct the memorial, the corner stone of which will be laid this fall, but it will be necessary to raise $100,000 as an endowment to maintain the memorial.

BUTTER AND GRAFT.

Conley Is Accused of Securing Money by Alleging Conspiracy With a Pure Food Agent.

Frederick Conley, a butter agent, was held for court on charges of obtaining money under false pretense and misdemeanor, by Alderman Groetzinger yesterday. Conley is really accused of being a grafter by Harry Cupps, a butter aand egg dealer of McKeesport, and H. C. Banzoff, agent for the state pure food commission.

Cupps testified that on March 10 last Conley went to his store and informed him that Agent Banzoff had made information against Cupps for selling renovated butter. Conley informed him the case could be "fixed" with Banzoff for $25, but inasmuch as he (Conley) had sold the butter to Cupps, he would pay $15 and Cupps should pay the balance, or $10. Cupps came to this city by appointment to meet Banzoff at the Seventh Avenue hotel. Conley met Cupps at the hotel, informed him that Banzoff had left the matter to him for adjustment and Cupps paid Conley the money. Cupps said the fine for selling renovated butter was $100, and he thought the better way out of the trouble was to pay the money. Later Cupps learned he had been defrauded.

M. C. McTighe of 4105½ Penn avenue testified that Conley had collected $10 from him in the same manner. McTighe said Conley told him that he was working with Agent Banzoff. Conley sold the renovated butter and Banzoff entered the suits. McTighe said Conley told him Banzoff wanted to go east and needed $50. Conley said he would pay $40 and McTighe would have to pay the balance.

Mrs. M. J. Muenzmay of 1416 Penn avenue testified last month that Conley went to her place and wanted $10 for the purpose of bribing Agent Banzoff, but the woman ordered him out of her store. Frederick Hubmer of 239 Fisk street testified in a similar manner against Conley. Hubmer said Conley had been drinking and he ordered him out of the place.

Agent Banzoff testified against Conley, denying that he had ever authorized Conley to collect any money for him.

ELLA QUITE REPENTANT.

West End Girl Who Tried to Kill Herself Released by Police on Promising to Behave.

Miss Ella McCartney, the young woman who tried to commit suicide for love by taking laudanum at the Baltimore & Ohio station on Monday night, was sent home by the police yesterday. The young woman was very meek when taken before Magistrate Moke, at the central police station. Upon her promise never again to try to kill herself, she was allowed to go to her home, 437 Independence street. Her sister, Belle McCartney, went to the station house and got her.

Miss Belle was not satisfied with what yesterday's newspapers said about the girl.

"It was something fierce," Belle remarked.

"Teddy" McClain, the cracker wagon driver, whom Ella suspected of deserting her, was not on hand when the girl was released.

B'NAI B'RITH ELECTS GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

CINCINNATI, May 23.—After electing the following grand lodge officers, the B'nai B'rith convention adjourned today, to meet in Terre Haute, Ind., next year: President, Harry L. Schloss, Terra Haute, Ind.; first vice president, Milton F. Anfenger, Denver; second vice president, A. Lowenthal, Cleveland; secretary, Vicetor Abraham, Cincinnati; treasurer, Abe Bloch, Cincinnati.

STREET SWEEPER'S MATCH DESTROYS $5,000 AUTO

NEW YORK, May 23.—A large touring car belonging to Mrs. Howard Gould exploded this afternoon in front of a garage in Fifth avenue, through the carelessness of a street sweeper, who threw a lighted match underneath the machine, where there was a quantity of gasoline. The automobile was wrecked, the damage being estimated at $5,000.

Searching for High School Site.

The high school site committee of the central board of education spent yesterday afternoon looking at suggested locations for a new high school. In addition to those offered at the last meeting of the committee, the Singer-Mashey property, at Penn and Fifth avenues, and the Loughrey property, at Forbes street and Woodlawn avenue, were visited. Both of these will be formally offered at the next meeting of the committee.

President Nash Stricken.

OMAHA, NEB., May 23.—Edward W. Nash, president of the American Smelting and Refining Company was stricken with paralysis last evening while attending a dinner at the home of Herman Kountz, a prominent banker of this city. He is better today and there are hopes of his recovery.

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Columbus and Cincinnati	* 4.50 am	* 8.40 pm
Alliance and Crestline	† 5.00 am	* 5.50 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	† [illegible] am	† 7.25 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 6.20 am	‡ 6.55 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	* 6.20 am	* 1.05 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 6.30 am	† 8.20 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 6.30 am	†10.35 am
Youngstown and Ashtabula	‡ 6.50 am	‡ 5.50 pm
Ohio Valley Express	* 6.50 am	† 8.20 pm
Salem and Alliance	* 7.00 am	†10.40 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 7.00 am	* 5.50 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 7.30 am	† 4.55 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	‡ 7.30 am	‡ 4.55 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 7.35 am	†10.35 am
Jamestown and New Castle	† 7.35 am	† 1.50 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	‡ 7.35 am	‡ 1.35 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	† 7.35 am	† 5.50 pm
The Cleveland Express	* 8.00 am	* 8.40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.00 am	* 6.40 pm
The Toledo Special	*11.50 am	* 8.20 pm
Columbus and Chicago	12.15 pm	* 2.00 pm
Youngstown, Ashtabula & Jamest'n	†12.35 pm	‡ 5.50 pm
Jamestown and Ashtabula	†12.55 pm	†10.35 am
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 1.25 pm	† 1.05 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	* 1.35 pm	† 1.00 pm
The St. Louis Special	* 2.00 pm	* 2.15 pm
East Liverpool and Steubenville	† 4.05 pm	† 7.40 am
New Castle and Erie	† 4.30 pm	‡ 5.50 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 4.30 pm	† 5.50 pm
Niles and Youngstown	* 4.30 pm	† 1.30 pm
Jamestown, Youngstown and Niles	* 4.30 pm	* 5.50 pm
The Cleveland Special	* 5.00 pm	*11.15 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5.02 pm	† 9.40 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	‡ 5.10 pm	‡ 9.10 am
The Chicago Special	* 5.20 pm	* 7.45 am
Columbus and Indianapolis	* 5.10 pm	* 5.55 am
The St. Louis Limited	* 8.10 pm	* 5.55 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 8.15 pm	* 8.00 am
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 8.15 pm	* 6.00 am
Toledo and Detroit Express	* 8.25 pm	* 5.55 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	†10.40 pm	* 5.50 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	*11.55 pm	* 1.40 am

Leave for Washington, Pa., †6.00 am, †7.30 am, †9.20 am, †9.45 am, †1.30 pm, †2.10 pm, †4.10 pm, †5.15 pm, †5.20 pm, †8.20 pm, †9.20 pm, †10.20 pm.

Leave for Wheeling, *6.40 am, *8.00 am, †11.40 am, †2.30 pm, †4.25 pm, *7.00 pm.

Leave for Steubenville, *5.40 am, †8.25 am, †4.27 pm, †10.55 pm, †11.35 am.

Leave for Dennison, *5.40 am, †2.30 pm.

Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, †5.55 pm.

*Every day. †Week-days only. ‡Sundays only.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD

(Eastern Standard Time.)

Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Sts.

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accommoda.	* 6:30 am	* 9:25 pm
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas.	† 6:30 am	†10:05 am
Wash., Balt. & New York	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Connv., Un'tn & Fairmont	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
West Newton Accom.	† 9:15 am	† 8:00 am
Cumb., Wash. & Balt.	* 1:15 pm	* 3:00 pm
Connv., Un'tn & Fairmont	‡ 2:00 pm	†10:05 am
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas.	† 2:00 pm	† 5:05 pm
Connellsville Accom'tion	* 4:10 pm	† 5:05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	† 5:00 pm	†12:20 pm
Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited)	* 6:30 pm	* 9:00 am
West Newton Accom.	† 6:40 pm	† 1:30 pm
Wash., Balt. & Phila.	* 9:00 pm	* 7:15 am
LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.		
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 7:00 am	* 9:10 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex.	* 8:30 am	* 7:45 am
Wheeling Express	* 1:05 pm	* 6:00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	* 4:00 pm	*10:00 am
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 5:05 pm	* 4:05 pm
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex.	* 8:50 pm	* 7:55 am
LINES WEST VIA AKRON.		
Cleve., Akron & Lorain	* 7:45 am	* 8:30 pm
Chicago & Cleveland	* 4:30 pm	* 1:00 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8:05 pm	* 7:35 am
(Leave Allegheny).		
Butler	† 7:00 am	† 8:00 am
Butler, Foxburg	† 7:30 am	‡ 9:40 am
Butler, Foxburg, Kane	† 8:15 am	† 5:10 pm
Butler, Conn. Lake, Erie	† 8:15 am	† 6:35 pm
Butler	†11:00 am	* 9:40 am
Butler, Conn. Lake, Erie	† 1:15 pm	† 1:00 pm
Ellwood City	† 1:15 pm	† 6:30 am
Butler, Clarion, Greenville	† 3:00 pm	†10:25 am
Butler, Ellw'd, N. Castle	† 5:30 pm	* 9:40 am
Butler	‡ 6:20 pm	* 5:10 pm
Ellwood, New Castle	‡ 6:15 pm	* 9:40 am
Butler, Foxburg	‡ 6:15 pm	‡ 7:25 pm
Butler	*11:30 pm	* 7:25 pm

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CENTRAL TIME.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 9:45 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 6:30 pm
Youngstown Express	* 8:15 am	* 5:00 pm
Buffalo Limited	* 9:00 am	* 3:00 pm
Cleve. & Chautauqua	* 9:00 am	*12:30 pm
Buffalo and Eastern Exp.	†12:35 pm	† 6:50 pm
Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line	*12:35 pm	* 6:30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 5:00 pm	* 9:45 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 2:30 pm	*12:30 pm
Boston Special	* 5:30 pm	* 6:35 am
Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6:15 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Limited	* 6:15 pm	* 6:55 am
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex.	*10:00 pm	* 5:35 am
Youngstown Accom.	† 5:30 am	* 9:00 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 6:40 am	† 5:35 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 1:10 pm	† 9:30 am
New Castle Accom.	†11:55 am	† 4:15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	‡ 3:30 am	†12:10 pm
New Castle Express	† 4:20 pm	† 7:30 am
New Castle Express	† 9:30 am	† 1:10 pm
Beaver Falls Express	† 5:25 pm	† 6:30 am
Beaver Valley Express	† 6:35 pm	† 6:45 am
Beaver Valley Express	† 9:00 pm	† 7:15 pm
Brownsville Accom.	† 6:10 am	† 6:45 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex.	* 8:00 am	* 8:00 pm
McKeesp't & Brownsville	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brownsville & N. Haven	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brownsville & N. Haven	[illegible]	[illegible]

P. C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Reading and Beechmont, [illegible]

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Atlantic Express, daily ... 7.20 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily ... 8.00 a. m.
Day Express, daily ... 12.01 p. m.
Mail Express, daily ... 12.45 p. m.
Chicago Mail, daily for Baltimore and Washington ... 4.50 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York ... 4.55 p. m.
New York Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York ... 7.10 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily ... 9.00 p. m.
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For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5:15, 8:25 a. m., 12:30 and 5:07 p. m., week days. 8:00 a. m., and 4:35 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10:55 a. m., 4:35 p. m., week-days, and 4:30 p. m. Sundays. For Brownsville only, 6:05, 8:20 a. m., 1:05, 3:25, 6:45 and 11:35 p. m. week-days, 7:00, 9:35 a. m., and 1:05, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 6:05 a. m. and 1:05 and 3:25 p. m. week-days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 6:05, 8:20, 10:55 a. m., 1:05, 3:25, 4:35, (5:20 to Monongahela City), 6:45 and 11:35 p. m., week-days. Sundays, 7:00, 9:35 a. m., 1:05, 4:30, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m.

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Toledo, St. L. Kansas City	12:01 pm	6:15 pm
Wheeling Express	4:20 pm	6:40 pm
Hickory Pryor, Mingo Accom	5:05 pm	6:40 am
St. L., Chicago, Kansas City	7:05 pm	7:00 am

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Value $21.00.

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Department of Public Works, City of Allegheny, [illegible] 1905. NOTICE TO DEALERS IN ASPHALT [illegible]

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EDWARD G. MALVAIN, Director Department of Public Works.

THE GIRL AND THE GRAFT
By O. HENRY
IN NEXT SUNDAY GAZETTE

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

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JIMMIEBOY IN TRUSTLAND
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IN NEXT SUNDAY GAZETTE

CATCHER FRED CARISCH'S MISTAKE GAVE BOSTON THE VICTORY YESTERDAY

YOUNG'S CURVES FOOL PIRATES

Clarke's Crew Unable to Solve His Delivery—Carish's Passed Ball Proves Fatal.

BATTLE OF THE PITCHERS

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BOSTON, May 23.—The Pirates ran up alongside the good ship commanded by Fred Tenney this afternoon, and after many valiant sallies were repulsed. "Cy" Young, Tenney's great find of the year, who not so long ago beat the Giants, was responsible for the defeat, together with a passed ball by Carisch in the fourth, which allowed the Boston captain to cross the rubber with the only run of the game. The day was perfect for baseball, the fans turned out liberally to see Barney Dreyfuss' wonders, and the game was all fight from start to finish.

During the course of the contest Hans Wagner and Hank O'Day, who officiated with the indicator, exchanged several hard glances, and Honus even went so far as to invite Hank down into the diamond to have a little confab. For a moment it looked as if there would be something doing, but the trouble soon blew over and everything was as serene as a summer's day.

Deacon Phillippe was on the slab, and in all but one inning was all to the good. He allowed but five hits and gave but one free ticket to the initial bag. His work was steady and pleasing, and he looked like the Phillippe of old.

Capt. Clarke started off the game with a sharp one to Tenney, who reached the bag first. Beaumont beat a slow one out and Howard walked. There was no Boston money in sight at this stage, but when Wagner popped a little one for Abbatticchio and Clancy flied to Sharpe the Puritan rooters began to take notice. In the second an error and a scratch hit again gave the Pirates a show, but there was nothing doing, as Fred Clarke tried to drop one in front of the plate and was nailed by Needham's throw to first.

So things proceeded for the Smoky City lads. Now the bases would be occupied and the chances for scoring looked as bright as a coin fresh from the mint. But Cyrus II. would take a brace and hold them there. In the seventh Carisch hit to right for one base, Phillippe drew a pass and the bases were filled on Abbatticchio's error. There was only one out and it looked like easy money for the team to win the game right then and there. Beaumont came to bat and lined out a long one for Sharpe in the right flower bed. Carisch was slow in starting on the catch and was nailed at the plate by a beautiful throw. From then on it was all over. Boston had won the first game of the series and thereby incurred the wrath of the great Wagner, who may be looked on as likely to smash the ball over the lot tomorrow if his prophecies can be believed. He failed to connect safely today, although he was given a pretty close decision on a bunt which many thought he had beaten a block.

Boston's score came in the fourth, when Tenney singled, went to third on Batty's double and scored on Carisch's passed ball. Batty came mighty near crossing the pan on a long fly from Delehanty's bat, which Howard nailed and fielded perfectly, catching the long shortstop a mile from home. This was Phillippe's bad inning. For the rest of the game the Tenneyites only hit him safely twice, and in five of the innings he retired the side in order.

Wagner contributed the sensational play of the afternoon. In the third inning he galloped after Cannell's hot grounder back of second base, and scooping it with one hand hurled the ball to Clancy. It was one of the only "Wagner's" plays and took the crowd by storm. Young Hildebrand went to bat in Phillippe's place in the ninth, and although he hit the ball hard, sent it straight to Cannell. The Pirates have blood in their eyes and tomorrow's tale will be different. Leever will probably go at it for the Pittsburgh team and "Chick" Fraser for the locals. The score:

Pittsb'gh.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Clarke l.	0	0	2	0	0	Cannell m.	0	0	3	0	0
B'mont m.	0	2	3	0	0	Tenney 1.	1	2	12	1	1
Howard r.	0	0	1	1	0	Abb'chio s.	0	2	1	3	2
Wagner s.	0	0	3	4	0	Deleh'ty l.	0	0	3	0	0
Clancy 1.	0	0	10	0	0	Wolv'ton 3.	0	1	0	1	0
Ritchey 2.	0	0	1	1	0	Sharpe r.	0	0	3	1	0
Leach 3.	0	1	1	4	0	Raymer 2.	0	0	0	4	0
Carisch c.	0	2	3	0	1	Needham c.	0	0	4	1	1
Phillippe p.	0	0	0	0	0	Young p.	0	0	1	3	0
*Hil'b'nd	0	0	0	0	0						
†Clymer	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	0	5	24	10	1	Totals	1	5	27	14	4

*Batted for Phillippe in the ninth. †Ran for Carisch in the ninth.

Boston .... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 *—1
Pittsburgh ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Sacrifice hits—Howard, Carisch. Two-base hit—Abbatticchio. Stolen base—Abbatticchio. Double plays—Howard and Carisch; Sharpe and Needham. First base on balls—Off Young 2, off Phillippe 1. Struck out—By Young 3, by Phillippe 2. Passed ball—Carisch. Wild pitch—Phillippe. Time of game—1:38. Umpire—O'Day. Attendance 2,210.

New York 7—Cincinnati 0.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Home run hits, two of which were made by Dahlen, the other two by Donlin and Mathewson, made the New York National champions easy winners over the Cincinnati team today. Mathewson was invincible and they could not hit him. Score:

Cincinnati	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Bridwell 2.	0	0	1	5	0	Donlin m.	1	1	4	0	0
Corcoran s.	0	0	2	3	0	Browne r.	0	0	0	0	0
Seymo'r m.	0	1	1	0	0	McGann 1.	2	2	11	0	0
Sebring r.	0	0	3	0	1	Mertes l.	0	0	0	0	0
Barry 1.	0	1	11	0	0	Dahlen s.	2	2	1	1	0
Steinf'dt 3.	0	0	1	2	0	Devlin 3.	1	0	1	2	0
Kelley l.	0	1	0	0	0	Gilbert 2.	0	0	3	2	0
Phelps c.	0	0	5	0	0	Bow'man c.	0	1	7	2	0
Overall p.	0	0	0	1	1	Math'son p.	1	2	0	5	0
Totals	0	3	24	11	2	Totals	7	8	27	12	0

Cincinnati .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
New York .... 3 0 0 2 0 1 1 0 *—7

First base on errors—New York 2. Left on bases—New York 5, Cincinnati 4. First base on balls—Off Mathewson 1, off Overall 3. Struck out—By Mathewson 8, by Overall 4. Home runs—Donlin, Dahlen 2, Mathewson. Two-base hit—McGann. Sacrifice hit—Gilbert. Stolen base—Gilbert. Double play—Bridwell, Corcoran and Barry. Wild pitch—Overall. Umpire—Bausewine. Time of game—1:40. Attendance 6,000.

Philadelphia 8—Chicago 5.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—Philadelphia defeated Chicago today by the better hitting in an interesting and well-played game. Attendance 2,638. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Slagle m.	1	2	4	0	0	Thomas m.	1	1	2	0	0
Schulte l.	0	0	4	0	0	Gleason 2.	1	1	0	4	0
Maloney r.	1	1	0	0	0	Courtney 3.	2	3	2	2	1
Chance 1.	1	1	10	1	0	Titus r.	1	2	3	0	1
Tinker s.	1	1	0	5	1	Magee l.	1	3	3	0	0
Evers 2.	0	2	3	2	0	Br'nsfield 1.	0	0	10	0	0
Casey 3.	0	2	1	2	0	Doolin s.	1	1	2	2	1
Kling c.	0	0	2	1	0	Abbott c.	1	1	5	0	0
Brown p.	1	2	0	1	0	Pittinger p.	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	5	11	24	12	1	Totals	8	13	27	11	3

Chicago .... 1 0 2 0 1 1 0 0 0—5
Philadelphia ..... 0 0 4 1 1 0 1 1 *—8

Two-base hits—Chance, Magee, Gleason, Titus, Abbott, Courtney. Sacrifice hits—Schulte, Bransfield, Pittinger, Abbott. Stolen bases—Slagle, Casey, Chance, Bransfield, Maloney. Struck out—By Pittinger 3, by Brown 2. Double plays—Courtney, Gleason and Bransfield. First base on balls—Off Pittinger 5. Left on bases—Chicago 10, Philadelphia 6. Time of game—1:55. Umpire—Johnstone.

St. Louis 5—Brooklyn 4.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., May 23.—St. Louis defeated the home club today at Washington park by a score of 5 to 4. Up to the eighth inning Thielman, the St. Louis pitcher, had his opponents at his mercy. In the eighth and ninth innings, however, the Brooklyn batters "cut loose" and came close to batting out a victory. Score:

Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Gessler l.	0	0	1	0	0	Shay s.	0	0	4	5	1
Lumley r.	1	2	3	0	1	Shannon l.	1	2	0	0	0
Batch 3.	1	2	1	1	1	Arndt 2.	1	2	2	2	0
Owens 2.	1	2	2	2	0	Beckley 1.	1	0	10	1	0
Lewis s.	0	3	3	6	0	Smoot m.	1	2	1	0	0
Dobbs m.	0	0	1	0	1	Dunleavy r.	0	1	2	0	0
Babb 1.	0	0	11	0	0	Burke 3.	0	0	0	0	0
Ritter c.	1	1	5	3	0	Warner c.	0	1	7	1	1
Eason p.	0	0	0	2	0	Thielman p.	1	0	1	3	0
Doescher p.	0	0	0	2	0						
*Mitchell	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	4	10	27	16	3	Totals	5	8	27	12	2

*Batted for Doescher in the ninth.

Brooklyn .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2—4
St. Louis .... 3 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—5

Two-base hits—Ritter, Smoot. Home run—Owens. Sacrifice hit—Dobbs. Stolen bases—Arndt, Burke, Owens. Hits off Eason, 6 in 6 innings; off Doescher, 2 in 4 innings. Left on bases—Brooklyn 10, St. Louis 4. First base on balls—Off Eason 3, off Thielman 3. First base on errors—Brooklyn 2. Struck out—By Thielman 7, by Doescher 2. Wild pitch—Thielman. Time of game—2 hours. Umpires—Emslie and Klem. Attendance 1,800.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Boston	1	Pittsburgh	0
Philadelphia	8	Chicago	5
New York	7	Cincinnati	0
St. Louis	5	Brooklyn	4

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	25	6	.806	Cincinnati	13	17	.433
Pittsburgh	18	14	.563	St. Louis	12	18	.400
Philadelphia	13	14	.519	Boston	12	18	.400
Chicago	17	16	.515	Brooklyn	13	22	.371

NATIONAL GAMES TODAY.

Pittsburgh at Boston
Cincinnati at New York
Chicago at Philadelphia,
St. Louis at Brooklyn.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Philadelphia	7	Cleveland	4
Chicago	3	Washington	2
Detroit	5	New York	4
Boston	5	St. Louis	3

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	16	11	.593	Washington	14	16	.467
Cleveland	14	11	.560	St. Louis	13	16	.448
Philadelphia	15	12	.556	New York	13	16	.448
Detroit	14	13	.519	Boston	12	16	.429

AMERICAN GAMES TODAY.

Boston at St. Louis.
New York at Detroit.
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.

MUST ENFORCE RULES.

None But Captains May Address Umpires—League Directors Called to Meet.

NEW YORK, May 23.—President Pulliam of the National League of Baseball Clubs has sent to the umpires of the National league an order to enforce the league rules which provide that captains only shall have the right to protest against a decision of the umpire and that the accuracy of the umpire's judgment shall be unquestioned.

President Pulliam also warns the umpires to recognize no one as captain unless he is a player actively engaged in a game and declares that the manager will not be allowed to question a construction of the rules unless he also be captain and playing in the game.

President Pulliam today also called a meeting of the board of directors of the National league to be held at Boston June 1 to consider the charges filed with him by President Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh club against Manager McGraw of the New York club.

President Pulliam also sent to the directors a copy of the charges and in a letter to the directors accompanying them Pulliam said: That portion of the charges relating to McGraw's alleged misconduct on the ball field on Friday, May 19, consisting of using offensive language to the president of the visiting club, will be considered by me under the authority of the Fleischmann resolution for the maintenance of decency on the ball field. That portion of the charges in which President Dreyfuss alleges that Manager McGraw openly charged him of being crooked and controlling the league umpires is of such vital importance, presenting as it does a crisis in the National league, that I have this day called a meeting of the board of directors to pass upon these charges.

TO STOP SUNDAY GAMES.

New York Police Notified to Arrest Professional Players.

NEW YORK, May 23.—An opinion given by Corporation Counsel Delany to Police Commissioner McAdoo today may put an end to Sunday baseball by professional teams in Greater New York. The corporation counsel finds that Sunday baseball by professionals is illegal and that any professionals taking part in such a game should be arrested and tried for violation of the Sunday law.

Regarding baseball games where no admission is charged, but where programs are sold, the opinion says that arrests must be made there the same as if admission were charged.

Punxsy Team Is Formed.

PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA., May 23.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the Punxsutawney baseball association today Lon Pantall was elected president, J. M. Beyer secretary, and W. J. Brown manager. The executive board includes A. G. McBride, formerly of Cincinnati, and W. P. Wehrle. The opening games will be played Monday with Ridgeway. The players signed are Williams, captain and first base, at present coach for Westminster college; Pitchers Abbott of the California State Normal team, Tustin and Calhoun of the Westminster team; catchers, McDonald and Hull, East Liberty; second, Frank Campbell, Punxsutawney; short, Fiorey, Williamsport; third, Allan, Williamsport; right field, M. Campbell, Indiana Normal; center, Keenan; left, Wilhelm.

Yale Freshmen Crew Picked.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., May 23.—(Special.)—Yale's freshmen crew which will be sent to Philadelphia to compete in the American Henley next Saturday, has been selected with the following personnel: Stroke, Graham; 7, Ide; 6, Noyes; 5, Bigelow; 4, Godley; 3, Park (captain); 2, Kelly; bow, Rockwell; coxswain, Barkalow.

Smathers Buys Many Runners.

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—A deal was closed today whereby E. E. Smathers of New York became the owner of the St. Louis division of John W. Schorr's racing stable, for $9,000. Nine horses were included in the sale, among them being Charley's Aunt, Jack Lory, Uncle Charley, Lieber and Lucullus. The horses have been running at the fair grounds track.

Change of Time on Monongahela Division Pennsylvania Railroad.

In addition to the trains already in service, a new train has been established between Pittsburgh and Brownsville, leaving Pittsburgh at 9:15 a. m., arriving Brownsville 11:00 a. m.; returning, leaving Brownsville at 12:05 p. m., arriving Pittsburgh at 1:55 p. m. New trains will be in service on and after May 29, 1905.

CLEVELAND DROPS TO SECOND PLACE

Connie Mack's Sluggers Find Donahue's Curves and Drive Him from the Box.

WADDELL IS NOT NEEDED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CLEVELAND, O., May 23.—Cleveland lost first place today, after holding it two weeks. Philadelphia knocked Donahue out of the box in two innings, scoring enough runs right there to win the game. Moore was a puzzle except in the eighth. Cleveland got four of its hits and scored three runs in the first three innings. Waddell was then warmed up, but Plank settled down and no change was made. Both teams made numerous errors. Attendance, 2,56[illegible]. Score:

Cleveland	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Jackson l.	0	0	1	1	0	Hartsel l.	2	1	4	0	0
Bay m.	0	0	1	0	0	Knight s.	2	2	2	0	2
Flick r.	1	1	2	1	1	Davis 1.	0	1	10	1	2
Lajoie 2.	1	1	3	2	0	Cross 3.	1	0	1	3	0
Bradley 3.	1	0	0	1	0	Seybold r.	1	1	3	0	1
Turner s.	0	1	2	2	1	Murphy 2.	0	2	1	3	0
Stovall 1.	1	0	12	3	0	Hoffm'n m.	0	2	1	0	0
Buelow c.	0	1	5	1	1	Powers c.	0	1	4	1	2
Donahue p.	0	0	0	2	0	Plank p.	1	1	1	2	0
Moore p.	0	0	1	3	1						
*Kahl	0	1	0	0	0						
†Bemis	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	4	5	27	16	4	Totals	7	11	27	13	7

*Batted for Donahue in the second. †Batted for Moore in the ninth.

Cleveland .... 0 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—4
Philadelphia ...... 3 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—7

Innings pitched—By Donahue 2, by Moore 7. Hits apportioned—Off Donahue 4, off Moore 7. First base on errors—Philadelphia 3, Cleveland 3. Two-base hits—Lajoie, Seybold, Murphy, Plank, Knight, Davis. Three-base hit—Knight. Sacrifice hits—Knight, Hartsel, Murphy. Stolen bases—Flick, Hoffman, Hartsel. First base on balls—Off Donahue 3, off Plank 1. Left on bases—Cleveland 5, Philadelphia 11. Struck out—By Moore 4, by Plank 4. Time of game—2:10. Umpire—McCarthy and Sheridan.

Detroit 5—New York 4.

DETROIT, May 23.—After denying Detroit a run for seven innings Griffith lost his cunning in the eighth, when three singles and a double forced him to the bench. Errors, coupled with the hitting, gave Detroit the game right there. Killian pitched well and was cleverly supported. The fielding of Yeager and the batting of Keeler and Coughlin were the features. Attendance 2,500. Score:

Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Schaefer 2.	0	1	4	2	0	Dough'ty l.	2	1	1	0	0
Cooley m.	0	2	4	0	0	Keeler 3.	1	3	2	0	1
M'Intyre l.	1	0	4	1	0	Fultz m.	0	1	1	0	0
Craw'f'd 1.	1	1	5	1	0	Williams 2.	0	0	4	2	1
Coughlin 3.	1	3	3	1	0	Anderson r.	1	0	0	0	0
Hickman r.	1	1	3	0	0	Chase 1.	0	1	7	1	1
O'Leary s.	1	2	1	5	1	Yeager s.	0	0	3	9	0
Doran c.	0	0	3	2	0	McGuire c.	0	1	5	1	1
Killian p.	0	0	0	0	0	Griffith p.	0	0	1	1	0
						Powell p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	5	10	27	12	1	Totals	4	7	24	14	4

Detroit .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 *—5
New York .... 3 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—4

Innings pitched—By Griffith, 7 1-3; by Powell, 2-3. Base hits—Off Griffith 10. Two-base hits—Coughlin, Hickman, Chase. Sacrifice hits—Fultz. Stolen bases—Dougherty, Anderson, Chase, Killian. Bases on balls—Off Killian 3, off Griffith 2, off Powell 1. Left on bases—Detroit 9, New York 4. Struck out—By Killian 2, by Griffith 4. Time of game—2:05. Umpire—Kelly.

Chicago 3—Washington 2.

CHICAGO, May 23.—Chicago won the third straight game of the series from Washington today. The locals made their runs in the third, with two two-base hits, assisted by several errors. Owen pitched in good form, holding the Washingtons safe until the ninth, when they started a batting rally and made two runs. The hitting of Holmes was the feature. Attendance 4,245. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
F. Jones m.	1	0	3	0	0	C. Jones m.	1	1	2	0	0
Holmes l.	1	2	4	0	0	Hill 3.	0	0	2	0	1
Green r.	0	0	0	0	0	Stahl 1.	1	3	9	1	0
Davis s.	0	1	4	3	0	Huelsman l.	0	1	0	0	0
Donohue 1.	0	0	8	1	0	Cassidy s.	0	1	3	5	0
Sullivan c.	0	1	6	1	0	Nill 2.	0	0	3	2	1
Tan'hill 3.	0	0	1	0	0	Knoll r.	0	0	0	0	0
Dundon 2.	1	1	2	3	0	Kittridge c.	0	0	3	3	0
Owen p.	0	0	0	4	0	Towns'nd p.	0	1	2	1	0
						*Mullen	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	5	27	12	0	Totals	2	7	24	12	2

*Batted for Townsend.

Chicago .... 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 *—3
Washington ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—2

Left on bases—Chicago 3, Washington 4. Two-base hits—Dundon, Holmes 2, Stahl. Sacrifice hit—Davis. Stolen base—Sullivan. Double plays—Dundon, Davis and Donohue 2. Struck out—By Owen 4, by Townsend 2. Bases on balls—Off Owen 3, off Townsend 3. Time of game—1:30. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

Boston 5—St. Louis 2.

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—A costly error by Rockenfield practically lost the game for the local team today in the fifth inning. Attendance 2,700. Score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Stone l.	1	1	2	0	0	Burkett l.	1	1	0	0	0
Koehler m.	1	2	1	1	0	Parent s.	0	0	1	3	1
Frisk r.	0	0	0	0	0	Stahl m.	0	0	0	0	0
Jones 1.	0	2	9	2	0	Selbach m.	1	2	2	0	0
Wallace s.	0	0	5	2	0	Collins 3.	1	0	2	1	1
Roc'nfeld 2.	0	0	3	3	1	Freeman r.	0	1	1	0	0
Gleason 3.	0	0	0	2	0	Grimsh'w 1.	0	2	15	0	0
Sugden c.	1	1	6	0	0	Ferris 2.	0	0	3	5	0
Morgan p.	0	0	1	6	1	Criger c.	1	0	1	1	0
*Van Zant	0	0	0	0	0	Winters p.	1	2	1	5	0
Totals	3	7	27	16	2	Totals	5	8	27	19	2

St. Louis .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0—3
Boston .... 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 2 0—5

Two-base hit—Van Sant. Sacrifice hits—Ferris, Parent. Double plays—Morgan, Wallace and Jones; Ferris and Grimshaw. Passed ball—Criger. Stolen bases—Stone, Selbach 2, Collins. Hit by pitched ball—Parent. Bases on balls—Off Morgan 9, off Winters 3. Struck out—By Morgan 3, by Winters 1. Left on bases—St. Louis 7, Boston 8. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire—Connolly.

$1.50 to Ohio Pyle, Decoration Day, May 30.
Special train leaves Baltimore & Ohio station, Pittsburgh, 8:10 a. m.

ALLEGHENY COLLEGE LOSES TO THE BLUFFITES, 1 TO 6

Mitinger pitched good ball for Allegheny yesterday on the Bluff for Allegheny College, but his support was bad, particularly that of Nelson, who made one throw that resulted in two runs. Pittsburgh College gave Kummer, who worked nicely, good support. Allegheny was unable to bunch hits on Kummer. A three-bagger by Finke was a batting feature. The score:

Pgh. Col.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Allegheny.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Harrel s.	1	1	2	1	1	Finke 3.	0	1	0	4	0
Keating l.	1	1	2	1	0	Urjan 2.	0	0	5	2	0
Duffy 1.	0	1	10	1	1	Comfort 1.	0	1	7	0	1
Dough'ty r.	2	1	1	0	0	Kennedy m.	0	0	1	0	0
Heban m.	0	0	1	0	0	Dav'port c.	0	1	4	0	1
Hayes 3.	0	1	0	3	0	Horn l.	1	1	4	0	0
Nickel 2.	1	3	1	1	0	Nelson s.	0	0	1	2	1
Murray c.	1	1	9	1	0	Mitinger p.	0	0	1	0	0
Kummer p.	0	0	0	1	0	Clark r.	0	2	1	0	1
Totals	6	9	27	12	2	Totals	1	6	24	8	4

Pitts. College .... 0 1 2 1 1 0 0 1 *—6
Ally. College ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1

Three-base hit—Finke. Two-base hits—Murray, Davenport. Sacrifice hits—Heban, Kummer, Mitinger. Stolen bases—Keating, Dougherty, Nickel, Murray, Horn, Clark. Double play—Keating, Hayes and Murray. Bases on balls—Off Kummer 4. Struck out—By Mitinger 1, by Kummer 7. Balk—Mitinger. Umpire—J. Whalen.

At Sewickley—

		R.	H.	E.
Sewick'ey	0 2 0 0 0 0 0 12 0 [illegible]	14	15	2
All'y Prep.	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	2	7	3

Batteries—McPherson and Erwin; Reiter, Worcester and Schmitt.

Manager Long and Capt. Dave Calhoun of the Westminster nine, upon their arrival in Pittsburgh last night from Washington, announced they had received orders from certain members of the faculty to disband the [illegible] faculty objected to the manner in which the team was being conducted, is the [illegible]

INDIANA, PA., May 23.—Normal beat Kiski this afternoon 5 to 2. King struck out 14 men. Score:

Normal	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Kiski.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Cam'bell 3.	1	2	1	2	1	Wilson s.	0	0	0	1	1
[illegible]	1	5	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	McGregor 2.	0	1	1	6	1
Horack 1.	1	1	4	0	0	St. Clair 3.	0	1	3	[illegible]	[illegible]
O'Leary c.	2	1	15	2	[illegible]	Coughlan 1.	0	1	1	6	0
[illegible] l.	0	2	0	0	0	Landrian 2.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Means r.	1	2	0	0	0	Dyer r.	1	1	0	0	[illegible]
Gobert m.	1	1	1	0	1	Jamison m.	1	0	1	0	[illegible]
[illegible] s.	0	0	1	1	[illegible]	Gordon p.	0	0	1	3	2
King p.	1	1	0	6	0						
Totals	5	12	27	7	[illegible]	Totals	2	6	24	6	5

Normal .... 2 2 0 0 [illegible]—5
Kiski .... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Two-base hits—Huber, St. Clair, Dyer. Sacrifice hits—Horack, Moffett, St. Clair. Stolen bases—Moffett, Gobert. Hit by pitched ball—King 3. Struck out—By King 14, by Gordon 2. Bases on balls—Off Gordon 1. Umpire—Cramer.

At Friendship park—

		R.	H.	E.
Commercial H. S.	[illegible]	11	10	1
Swissvale H. S.	[illegible]	1	3	3

Two-base hits—Knight 2, Ament, Means, Henning, Hague. Three-base hit—Henning. Base on balls—Off Hague 2. Struck out—By Carleton 3; by Henning 5; by Hague 2. Umpire—Jones.

Fitz Will Fight Schreck.

CHICAGO, May 23.—Bob Fitzsimmons and Mike Schreck will fight 20 rounds in Salt Lake July 4, a bid of the Salt Lake club having been accepted today by the two fighters. The men will meet at 168 pounds ringside. They get 75 per cent of the gate receipts, three-quarters of which will go to the winner, and one-quarter to the loser.

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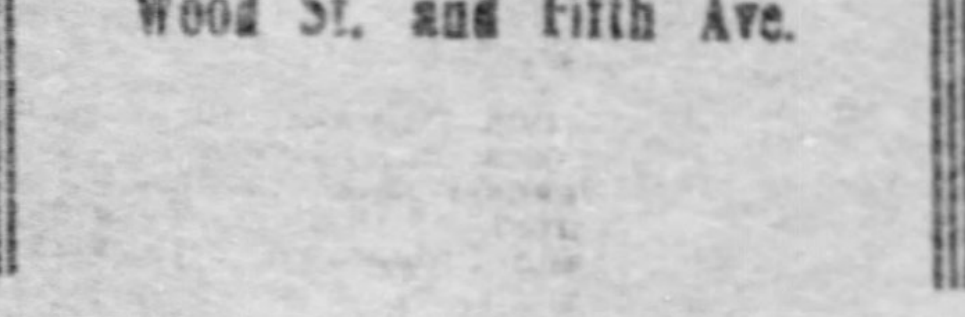

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OXFORD WINS FEATURE EVENT

Brooklyn Handicap Candidate Proves He Has the Speed and Must Be Counted On.

FASTEST TIME OF THE MEETING

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—James McLaughlin's Oxford, second choice in the betting at 3 to 2, won the Jockey club weight for age race at Belmont park today, defeating Dolly Spanker by a neck. The time, 1:53 1-5, for one mile and a furlong, is the fastest time of the meeting. By the performance of Oxford and Dolly Spanker today both are sure starters in the Brooklyn handicap to be run Thursday. Oxford and Pasadena were coupled in the straight betting only. Pasadena went to the front in the first furlong and made the pace for his stable companion Oxford. In the run down the back stretch Pasadena was leading by a length from Oxford who was under wraps. In the stretch Pasadena quit and Oxford took command and won driving. Dolly Spanker closed very strong, under a weak ride. The Meadow Brook hunters steeplechase was won by Patagonian. Six favorites were beaten. Summaries:

First race, 7 furlongs—Novena, 107, Lyne, 7 to 2 and 7 to 5, won; Ismailian, 105, Miller, 5 to 2 and even, second; St. Roma, 105, J. Johnson, 3 to 1 and even, third. Time 1:27 4-5. Sailor Boy, Liberty and Second Light also ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs, selling—Tangier, 100, Crimmins, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Delmore, 100, W. Knapp, 17 to 10 and 4 to 5, second; Barberloot, 104, Travers, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time 1:00 4-5. High Brush, Gentian, Vitesse, Greenland, Little Ben, Magic Power and Merlingo also ran.

Third race, 1 mile handicap, selling—Arabo, 126, Odom, 8 to 5 and 1 to 4, won; Oarsman, 121, Burns, 9 to 10 and 1 to 5, second; Cary E. Jones, 113, J. Johnson, 15 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time 1:41 3-5. Rostand finished third but was disqualified for fouling.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 1 furlong, the Jockey club weight for age race—Oxford, 109, Lyne, 3 to 2 and 7 to 10, won; Dolly Spanker, 123, Travers, 13 to 10 and 1 to 2, second; Right Royal, 108 Hildebrand, 7 to 2 and even, third. Time 1:53 1-5. Pasadena also ran.

Fifth race, 2¼ miles, the Meadow Brook Hunter steeplechase—Patagonian, 152, J. O'Brien, 3 to 1 and even, won; Snuff, 156, Page, 13 to 10 and 1 to 2, second. Time 5:15 only two finished. Pious, Merry Moments and Red, White and Blue fell.

Sixth race 1 mile and 1 furlong—Leonidas, 114, W. Knapp, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Ostrich, 120, Odom, 7 to 5 and 1 to 2, second; Flyback, 116, Martin, 7 to 2 and 9 to 1, third. Time 1:54 1-5. Adbell also ran.

WASH-JEFF DEFEATED BY WESTMINSTER NINE

WASHINGTON, PA., May 23.—(Special.)—Westminster college won from Washington and Jefferson in the ninth inning this afternoon, 5 to 3. Both Hughes and Calhoun pitched good ball, although the latter had somewhat the best of it. Hughes was miserably supported. Score:

W. & J.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Westm'r.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Sim'ons m	0	0	1	0	0	Russell s	2	2	2	4	1
Eriser 3	0	0	0	6	0	Deevers 2	0	1	3	2	0
Moore 1	0	1	4	1	0	McKay c	0	1	12	3	0
Ramsey s	0	1	1	3	5	Calhoun p	0	0	0	3	1
Eckels 1	1	1	13	1	0	Joost m	0	1	0	0	0
Ferg'son 2	1	0	4	2	0	Lytle 3	1	0	0	0	1
Springer r	0	0	1	0	0	Smith r	1	0	1	0	0
Reeder c	1	1	4	0	0	Noble 1	1	1	0	0	0
Hughes p	0	0	0	2	0	Stran'h'n 1	0	1	9	0	1
Totals	3	4	27	15	5	Totals	5	7	27	12	4

W. and J. .... 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0—3
Westminster .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4—5

Two-base hit—Russell. Hit by pitcher—Smith. First base on balls—Off Calhoun 3. Sacrifice hits—McKay, Little. Stolen bases—Simmons 2, Ramsey, Eckels, Ferguson. Struck out—By Calhoun 10; by Hughes 4. Attendance—500. Umpire—Hudson. Time—1:5.

M'KEESPORT AGAIN LOSES TO BRADDOCK, 6 TO 4

The most exciting game of the season was played at Braddock yesterday between the McKeesport and Braddock teams, the latter winning 6 to 4. Emerick started the game for McKeesport and was knocked out of the box in the fifth inning, when Braddock made three runs. "Lefty" Jackson took his place and allowed but two hits. Braddock plays at Leechburg today and tomorrow Sharon will be here for two games. Score:

Braddock	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	M'K'sp't.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Elm'son 3	1	0	1	1	0	Orbin 1	1	2	1	1	0
Kellar 1	2	1	10	2	1	Soffel 2	0	1	1	4	1
Porter 2	2	2	2	2	1	Hartman 3	0	1	2	2	0
Unrue r	0	2	2	0	0	Smith 1	0	2	10	0	1
Bailey c	0	2	6	0	0	Piper c	0	0	5	2	0
Sandherr s	1	2	3	3	0	Crum m	1	1	2	0	0
Sween'y m	0	0	1	0	0	M'Clar'n s	1	1	1	2	0
Brisbine 1	0	1	1	0	0	Jackson r	1	1	2	0	0
Cushm'n p	0	2	1	2	0	Emerick p	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	6	12	27	10	2	Totals	4	9	24	13	2

Braddock .... 0 1 1 0 3 0 1 0 *—6
McKeesport .... 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 0 0—4

Two-base hits—Unrue, Jackson. Sacrifice hits—Porter, Sweeney. Stolen bases—Orbin, Porter, Bailey. Bases on balls—Off Jackson, 1, off Emerick 1, off Cushman 2. Struck out—By Emerick 2, by Jackson 1, by Cushman 6. Wild pitch—Cushman. Passed balls—Pipe 2. Double plays—Cushman and Keller; Sandherr and Keller; Keller (unassisted).

BYERS GOES FAST TRIAL FOR THE METROPOLITAN

NEW YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—Fox Hills swarmed with golfers today here for the Metropolitan championship which begins tomorrow morning. A welcome visitor was E. M. Byers, who had deferred his trip to Cleveland purposely to have a shy at the title. The young Pittsburgh crack was in rare form, and at the fourth green, which he reached in two, his score was 4-4-4-5. Here he skipped the sixth and seventh to join Percy Pyne, II., and George T. Brokaw. He, however, did not keep a card, but an enthusiast who followed him from the thirteenth, said he finished in 5-4-4-3-4-4, par figures for the last six holes.

Pairs will be started promptly at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. It has been arranged that W. J. Travis will play with Harold Wilcox, the present champion, while E. M. Byers will have Percy Pyne.

Homestead Wins Again.

It was Homestead's day again, and Sharon encountered a second defeat at Steel Works park at the hands of Risher's H. L. A. C. by a score of 5 to 2. The work of Sharon's pitcher, Shappley, was good. He had eight strike-outs to his credit—just twice as many as Eastley, the Homestead twirler, had. Score:

Homest'd.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Sharon.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Morgan 2	0	1	3	2	0	Ferguson s	1	2	4	2	0
Kenney s	1	1	0	7	1	Fitzg'ald 1	0	1	8	0	0
Lindsay 1	1	1	7	0	0	Kerr 1	0	1	2	0	0
Mackey r	1	1	2	0	0	Crotty 3	0	0	1	3	2
Deich'ty 1	0	1	3	1	0	Gibson c	0	0	7	1	0
Lyon 3	0	0	3	0	2	Weber m	0	0	1	0	0
Sellars m	1	0	0	0	0	Herron 2	0	0	0	2	2
Mehl c	0	0	8	0	0	Smith r	1	1	1	0	0
Eastley p	1	1	1	1	0	Sheppley p	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	5	6	27	11	3	Totals	2	5	24	9	4

Homestead .... 1 3 0 0 1 0 0 0 *—5
Sharon .... 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Three-base hits—Ferguson, Mackey. Home run—Smith. First base on balls—Off Sheppley 1, off Eastley 2. Struck out—By Sheppley 8, by Eastley 4. Wild pitches—Sheppley 1. Umpire—Mullen.

Canton Plays Dumb Ball.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., May 23.—(Special.)—Ohio Works won a tame game from Canton team today 7 to 1. The visitors played dumb ball. The score:

Ohio. W.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Canton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Blount r	1	0	0	0	1	Hansm'n m	0	1	3	0	0
Malon'y m	0	1	2	0	0	Core 1	1	2	0	0	1
Phyle 3	1	1	4	3	0	Bedur 1	0	0	12	1	1
M'Cl'sky 2	0	0	3	3	1	Nist r	0	1	1	0	0
Whitney 1	2	2	10	0	0	Biery 3	0	1	0	2	0
O'Neil c	0	1	3	1	0	Lalonge 2	0	0	3	5	1
Thomas 1	2	1	4	0	0	Volk s	0	0	2	2	0
Barton s	1	1	1	4	0	Sealts c	0	2	3	1	2
Dolan p	0	1	0	1	0	Doyle p	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	7	8	27	12	2	Totals	1	7	24	14	5

Ohio Works .... 0 2 0 1 1 2 1 0 *—7
Canton .... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1

Three-base hits—Thomas. Two-base hits—Whitney, Sealts. Bases on balls—Off Dolan 2, off Doyle 3. Struck out—By Dolan 3, by Doyle 7. Passed ball—O'Neil. Time of game—1:50. Umpire—Evans.

Yale Defeats Vermont.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., May 23.—(Special.)—By strong batting and fine base running the Yale nine defeated the University of Vermont this afternoon, 7 to 1. Score by innings:

		R.	H.	E.
Vermont	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0	1	6	3
Yale	1 6 0 0 0 0 0 0 *	7	13	3

Batteries—Campbell and Kibby; Jackson and Shapin. Umpire—Herrick.

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TRI-STATE STAR.

JOHN BRACKENRIDGE.

He Is Pitching Good Ball for Harrisburg.

JOHNSTOWN SLAUGHTERS LANCASTER TEAM, 21 TO 2

JOHNSTOWN, May 23.—Johnstown outclassed Lancaster this afternoon 21 to 2. The locals had a batting matinee and their 19 hits totaled 31 bases. The three hits of the visitors came one after the other and netted two runs. Attendance 800. Score:

Johnst'n.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Lancaster.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Badel 1	3	3	1	0	0	Needh'm m	0	0	4	1	0
Martin 2	2	3	4	3	0	But'more r	0	0	2	0	0
Ath'ton m	2	2	1	0	0	Law 1	0	0	7	1	0
M'Con'll 1	2	3	13	1	0	Ward 2	0	0	2	3	2
Lobert 3	2	2	1	5	1	Connors 3	0	0	1	2	4
Nallin r	3	0	1	0	0	Biehl 1-p	1	1	1	0	0
Murphy c	2	1	5	1	0	Barber c	1	1	4	0	0
Hagen s	2	2	0	3	0	Kiliheffer s	0	1	1	6	1
Good p	3	3	1	2	0	Koehler p-1	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	21	19	27	15	1	Totals	2	3	24	13	8

Johnstown ..... 0 2 10 2 0 3 0 4 *—21
Lancaster ...... 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Two-base hits—Barber, McConnell, Atherton, Lobert, Good, Murphy. Three-base hits—Good 2. Home run—Badel. Stolen bases—Badel 3, Atherton, Lobert 2, Nallin, Hagen 3. Bases on balls—Kohler, Ward, Murphy 2, Nallin 2, Good, Badel, McConnell. Hit by pitched ball—Buttermore, Beihl, Atherton. Struck out—Lobert, Atherton, Needham, Ward, Conners, Koehler 2, Law. Wild pitch—Good. Passed ball—Barber. Time of game—2:10. Umpire—O'Neil.

HARRISBURG, May 23.—Leary, the ex-Pennsylvania star, pitched a good game for Lebanon today, but the Senator's hits came in bunches and enabled them to win the game. Score:

Lebanon.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Harrisb'g.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
King 1	1	2	3	0	0	Bonner 2	1	1	1	4	1
Roth'mel 3	1	1	1	4	0	Dorman r	0	0	0	0	0
Wagner s	0	2	2	2	1	Ham'ton m	2	1	0	0	0
Ernst c	0	1	2	1	0	Raidy s	0	2	3	3	0
Moran m	0	0	0	2	0	Calhoun 1	0	1	11	0	0
Stitzer 2	0	0	2	3	0	Peterson c	0	1	6	3	0
Jacoby 1	0	1	12	0	1	Duffy 1	0	1	5	0	0
Manning r	0	1	2	0	0	Broderick 3	0	0	1	2	1
Leary p	0	1	0	3	0	M'Geh'n p	1	1	0	3	0
Totals	2	9	24	15	2	Totals	4	8	27	15	2

Lebanon .... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2
Harrisburg ...... 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 *—4

WILLIAMSPORT, May 23.—Nearly 9,000 people saw Williamsport bat out a victory over York in the last two innings today. Score:

W'msport	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Weigand 2	0	3	0	1	1	Clay r	0	0	0	0	1
H'man m	0	1	5	0	0	Billett 1	0	1	1	0	0
Lush r	0	0	0	0	0	Russell m	0	0	1	0	0
Pleiss 1	0	1	1	0	0	Cargo s	1	0	1	2	0
Lin'man 1	1	1	9	1	0	Bagley 1	1	1	12	1	0
M'Carty s	2	2	2	3	2	Schaub 3	0	0	0	3	0
Hallman 3	1	2	0	2	0	Miller 2	0	0	5	2	1
Donovan c	0	0	10	1	1	Smith c	0	1	6	3	0
Jackson p	2	1	0	3	0	Matthews p	0	0	0	5	0
Totals	6	11	27	11	4	Totals	2	3	24	16	2

Williamsport .... 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 4 *—6
York .... 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Umpires—England and Stanton. Time of game—2:11.

ALTOONA, May 23.—An error by Grubb in the first inning and two by Bates in the sixth gave Coatesville three runs. The contest was entirely between Pearson and McCrane. Attendance 1,100. Score:

Altoona.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Coatesv'e.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Bates 1	0	0	1	0	2	Smith m	0	0	2	0	0
Grubb 3	0	0	2	1	1	M'Don'ld 1	2	2	9	2	0
Hart m	0	0	6	0	0	Tibbetts 1	0	1	3	0	0
Fox c	0	2	7	0	0	Zim'man 3	0	0	0	1	1
Iott r	0	0	1	0	0	Slattery 2	0	0	3	8	0
Weddige 1	0	0	9	0	0	Mauch s	0	0	2	1	0
Smith s	0	0	0	5	0	Sweeney c	0	0	6	0	0
Houser 2	0	0	1	1	1	Feeney r	0	1	1	0	0
Pearson p	0	1	0	1	0	McCrane p	1	1	1	1	0
*Plank	0	1	0	0	0						
Totals	0	4	27	8	4	Totals	3	5	27	18	1

*Batted for Bates in the ninth.

Altoona .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Coatesville ...... 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—3

Stolen base—McDonald. Two-base hits—Pearson, Feeney. Struck out—By Pearson 4, by McCrane 6. Wild pitch—McCrane. Time of game—1:35. Umpires—Wiggs and Chilcott.

PERK CAN STILL PITCH.

Former Pirate Leads Wheeling Team to Clever Victory.

GRAND RAPIDS, May 23.—(Special.)—"Perk" Kennedy held the home club down to five hits this afternoon, while Thomas was batted all over the lot and the visitors won with east. Score:

Wheeling	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	G. Rapids.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Smith m	1	1	3	0	0	Fox 3	0	0	0	3	0
Wessels s	1	0	1	2	0	Wizard m	0	0	4	0	0
Coggsw'l r	2	5	2	1	0	Perry 1	1	1	0	0	0
Spangler 1	2	2	6	0	0	Morris'y 3	1	0	5	5	0
M'Com's 2	0	2	3	3	0	Grier r	1	0	1	0	0
Deiters 3	3	2	4	3	1	Ganzel 1	0	1	10	2	1
Coffey 1	1	0	1	0	0	Hale s	0	3	1	2	1
Schriver c	1	2	5	0	1	Martin c	0	1	6	2	0
Kennedy p	2	2	2	1	0	Thomas p	0	0	0	1	2
						Farrell p	0	0	0	4	0
						*Miller	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	13	16	27	10	2	Totals	3	7	27	19	4

*Batted for Farrell in the ninth.

Wheeling .... 3 0 3 1 1 2 2 1 0—13
Grand Rapids .. 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—3

Two-base hits—Perry, Hale, Coggswell, Spangler, Deiters, Kennedy. Three-base hit—Coggswell. Sacrifice hits—Smith, Coffey, Spangler 2. Stolen bases—Deiters 2. Innings pitched—By Thomas 3, by Farrell 6. Hits off Thomas 7, off Farrell 9. Struck out—By Thomas 3, by Farrell 3, by Kennedy 5. Bases on balls—Off Kennedy 4, off Farrell 5. Double plays—Coggswell, Deiters and McCombs, Deiters and McCombs. Hit by pitched ball—Smith, Kennedy. Time of game—2 hours. Attendance 1,500. Umpire—Mack.

FT. WAYNE, May 23.—Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Ft. Wayne	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	1	4
Evansville	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	8	1

Batteries—Alberts and Osteidick; McCafferty and Cross.

SOUTH BEND, May 23.—Score:

		R.	H.	E.
South Bend	2 0 0 0 6 2 0 0 0	10	12	3
Dayton	4 0 1 0 2 1 0 0 0	8	14	3

Williams and Tieman; Wheelock, Fields and Hawkins.

SPRINGFIELD, O., May 23.—Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Springfield	0 0 3 0 3 0 0 0 *	6	7	2
Terre Haute	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	6	3

Merryman and Shannon; Gay and Richardson.

Reed Team Victorious.

One of the most interesting amateur baseball games of the season was played yesterday between teams from the law offices of Reed, Smith, Shaw & Beal and the J. M. Guffey Petroleum Company at Washington park. Score:

Reed.	R.	H.	E.	Petroleum.	R.	H.	E.
Morris 1	1	2	0	Lewis m	0	0	0
Frazer 2	2	1	0	Myers r	0	0	1
J. Reed s	1	1	0	Adams 2	0	1	0
McKenry 3	1	2	0	Gilmore s	0	0	1
D. Reed 1	0	1	0	Lowe 1	0	0	1
Shobert m	1	1	0	Zinsmaster 3	0	0	0
Bily r	1	0	0	Hightower c	0	0	1
Buckley c	2	3	0	Panmerer 1	0	0	1
Hastings p	0	2	0	Criswell p	0	1	0
Totals	9	13	0	Totals	0	2	5

West Newton Is Defeated.

WEST NEWTON, PA., May 23.—The West Newtons met with the second defeat today through Lange's wildness. Score:

Clairton .... 1 1 2 0 2 0 0 1 0—7
West Newton .... 0 0 0 1 1 1 2 0 1—5

LOCAL AMATEUR GAMES.

On Oakland grounds—

		R.	H.	E.
Oakland A. C.	0 0 3 0 0 3 *	6	7	1
P. A. C.	0 2 1 0 2 0 0	5	4	1

Three-base hit—McKnight. Two-base hit—Carr. First on balls—Off Steen, 0; off Moren, 2. Struck out—By Steen, 6; by Moren, 5. Double play—McCasky, Koch and Prichard. Hit by pitcher—Koch, Martin.

On Pioneer grounds—

		R.	H.	E.
Pioneer	0 1 3 5 3	12	15	4
La Hugh	3 2 0 0 2	7	8	3

Batteries—Halferty and E. MacAleer; Cunningham, Hopkins and Mooney.

ALLEGHENY ANNOUNCES IT GOLF TOURNAMENT

Interesting Program Is Arranged for the Sewickley Heights Tenth Annual Event.

Announcement was made yesterday of the program of Allegheny Country club's 10th annual golf tournament. The dates are Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 15, 16 and 17, and is open to members of the United States Golf association and invited guests.

The following trophies are offered: Medal for best qualifying round, Allegheny Country club cup to winner in first 16, E. M. Byers cup for winner in second 16, H. R. Rea cup for winner in third 16, handicap cup and three special cups. The latter cups go to the winners in the three eights who have continued at match play after being defeated in the first match play round of their divisions. A contestant may win but one cup.

Entries should be made in writing to O. D. Thompson, secretary, Park building, by Wednesday, June 14, with some handicap.

Each day's schedule is as follows:

Thursday, June 15, 9 a. m.—Qualifying round, 36 holes, medal play; medal to best score.

Friday, June 16, 9 a. m.—Match play, Allegheny Country club cup; 9:30 a. m.—Match play for E. M. Byers cup; 10 a. m.—Match play for the H. R. Rea cup; 1 p. m.—Second round, Allegheny Country club cup; 1:30 p. m.—Second round, E. M. Byers cup; 2 p. m.—Second round, H. R. Rea cup; 2:30 p. m.—First round specials.

Friday, June 17, 9 a. m.—Semi-finals; 1 p. m.—Finals; 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.—Handicap, 18 holes.

FORMER CHAMPION WINS.

Canadian Golf Player Makes Good—An American Polo Team.

LONDON, May 23.—George S. Lyon, the former Canadian champion, won his first game today in the amateur golf championship now in progress at Prestwick, Scotland, defeating E. M. Smith by two up and one to play. Lyon and Smith are competing against the aggregate record score of 148. The competition will occupy five days.

Craig Wadsworth, second secretary of the American embassy, has organized an American team to contest for the James Gordon Bennett polo cup in Paris about the middle of June. The players will be Richard Tobin of San Francisco, Frank J. Mackey, Lawrence McCreery and Craig Wadsworth. The cup was first offered two years ago, but as there were no American entries it has never heretofore been competed for. It is considered probable that an English team will enter.

With the Independents.

Gladfelter, the W. & J. coach, who was to join Butler, is playing at Piedmont, W. Va.

Branch Rickey, coach of the Allegheny College nine, will join the St. Louis Americans when his season ends at Allegheny.

Managers Hickey and Shuster are to call T. D. Malone, 2929 Main, today.

Charles Coates, once a well-known pitcher hereabouts, was calling upon his friends in Pittsburgh yesterday. Coates is now with the Wabash.

AMATEUR BASEBALL GOSSIP.

Fayette Juniors versus Mayflower Reserves on Saturday.

Springdale has open dates. Address Ralph Mellon, Springdale, Pa.

The Port Perry A. C. has a few open dates. Address Joseph Connelly, Port Perry.

The Carrick A. C. is without a game for May 30. Address J. M. Butch, Carrick, Pa.

The Valley Reserves, a 17-year-old team, has May 27 open. Address W. C. Cook, Box 1235 city.

Avalon A. A. A. has Decoration day open. Address Charles Delp, 547 California avenue, Avalon, Pa.

The Atlas A. C. has Decoration day open. Address A. W. Kuchcesner, 312 Thirty-eighth street, city.

Kenwood has Decoration day open to any 17-year-old team. Address L. Perry, 269½ Park avenue, city.

The Harbison-Walker team has Saturday open. Address C. T. Jackson, 1822 Farmers Bank building.

The Warwick A. C. challenges all 17-year-old teams. Address George Ruber, 81 Ridge avenue, North Braddock.

The Waltons challenge any 17-year-old team for Saturday. Address W. E. Jones, Grand avenue, Allegheny.

The Southern A. C. Challenges all 8-year-old uniformed teams. Address C. Schmidt, 136 Southern avenue, city.

The Baum club wants game for Decoration day. Address Murray Locklin, 334 South Highland avenue, Pittsburgh.

The Church Hill A. C. has Decoration day open. Address F. C. Koerner, 206 Steuben street, Elliott, Pittsburgh.

The Humboldts are without a game for Decoration day. Address George Eckert, 182 Spring Garden avenue, Allegheny.

The West Pittsburgh A. C. would like to hear from some good teams for May 30. Address Chess, 331 Fourth avenue.

The Olympia A. C. has all dates open. All 18-year-old teams address H. C. Rickenbach, 19 Olympia street, Mt. Washington.

The Irving Juniors defeated the Rebecca A. C. 11 to 2. Any 8-year-old teams write Charles Williams, 5226 Powhatan street, city.

The Corpus Cristi Cadets challenge all 8-year-old teams for Decoration day. Address Joseph O'Neill, 12 Point View street.

The Morningside A. C. challenges all 15-year-old teams for Decoration day. Address H. E. Reisch, Jancy street, Morningside.

The Akron A. C. challenges all 10-year-old teams with uniforms. Address August Horne, 501 Hang street, Spring Garden borough.

The West Pittsburgh Juniors defy any 8-year-old team for Decroation day. Write Harold Wilharm, 1843 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh.

The Blue and Grays have open dates for 9-year-old teams. Address Ralph Cobb, 909 Russelwood avenue, West Park, McKees Rocks.

The Curry A. C. challenges all 16-year-old out-of-town teams for Decoration day. Address Joseph R. Nicklin, 358 Herron avenue, city.

The Y. M. C. A. Reserves have Decoration day open for all 15-year-old teams. Address W. F. Stewart, 508 Allegheny avenue, Allegheny.

Idlewood Amateurs have Saturday open for any team having grounds. Call up 9091 Crafton this evening at 8 o'clock and ask for Held.

The Westminsters defy all 15-year-old teams having grounds for games on Decoration day. Address M. S. Vandevort, 125 West Ohio street, Allegheny.

The Givens A. C. of McKees Rocks would like to arrange games with all 13-year-old teams. Address W. G. Weisser, 729 Woodward avenue, McKees Rocks.

The West Ends of Braddock are without a game for Saturday. Any 14-year-old uniformed teams having grounds address A. G. Striebich, 222 Holland avenue, Braddock.

The Pittsburgh Terminal Reserves have May 27, June 15 and July 1 open for games with 17-year-old teams with grounds. Address D. W. Sullivan, manager, 5842 Parker street.

The Wilkinsburg Independents play the Union A. C. this evening at 6:15 o'clock on Braddock avenue grounds. Thornhurst and Venning will do the battery work for Wilkinsburg.

The Hickory A. C. of the East End wants a game with a good team away from home Saturday. Decoration day is also open. Write G. S. Llewelyn, 5100 Liberty avenue, or 'phone 3660 Court.

ROSENBAUM EMPLOYES GIVE A BIG RECEPTION

Over 1,700 Persons Attend the Function in Braun's Auditorium—Proceeds to Aid Association.

Braun's auditorium was taxed to its utmost to find room for the Rosenbaum Company Employes' Mutual Aid association members and their friends, who attended the reception last night, over 800 couples being on the floor at one time during the evening, while the total attendance was over 1,700.

Dancing and euchre, with a banquet at 11 o'clock, occupied the members and their friends from 9 p. m. until 2 a. m.

The master of ceremonies was J. C. Fogerty, while Mrs. L. C. Cohn had charge of the decorations and refreshments. The committee on arrangements consisted of the following persons: John Boyce, Philip Baer, Mrs. M. Demond, Miss M. Shannon, Miss Lena Dany, Miss Bertha Kirchner, A. H. McMullin, Philip Cohen, Edward Davis, A. Smith, Charles Leet and Mrs. A. Murphy.

The proceeds of the event are to be devoted to furthering the work of the organization.

SUCCESSFUL SPRING SHOOT.

Many Experts Face the Trap at Derry.

A. H. King Is High Gun With 164.

The spring tournament held by the Derry Gun club was one of the most successful shoots ever held in this part of the state. Thirty-six experts faced the traps during the day and 14 events of 15 birds were shot off. The high gun for the day was A. H. King of the Herron Hill club, and low gun was J. O'H. Denny. The scores of the high shooters were: A. H. King, 164; Calhoun, 161; Cochran, 161; Baker, 157; A. B. Kelly, 157; West, 154; Denlker, 152; Hickey, 151; Brenlser, 148; L. J. Saint, 148; Sergeant, 145; Thompson, 138; Hackett, 138; Keihl, 137; Dougherty, 133; Smith, 131; Andrews, 129; Lowe, 129; Benton, 124; Brown, 124; Meyers, 117; J. O'H. Denny, 113.

MISCELLANEOUS GAMES.

At Blairsville, Pa.—

		R.	H.	E.
Kiski, III	2 0 1 4 0 2 3 0 0	12	12	6
Blairsville H. S.	2 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 0	6	8	10

Batteries—Maxwell and Morrow; Marshall, Keefner and Libson.

At Lancaster, O.—

		R.	H.	E.
Lancaster	0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0	3	6	4
Nelsonville	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 4 0	5	7	4

Batteries—Beverly and Winler; Lovett and Colburn. Umpire—Tarpey.

At Zanesville, O.—

		R.	H.	E.
Zanesville	1 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0	3	8	4
Newark	0 0 3 0 0 0 0 1 *	4	5	2

Batteries—Crutcher and Blue; Knepper and Snodgrass. Attendance—900.

At Akron, O., Massillon was easy for the Akrons due to the pitching of Doubles. Harry Smith, the Pittsburg catcher, played second base and captained the Massillon team. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Akron	1 3 0 0 1 3 0 1 *	9	9	4
Massillon	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	2	11	4

Batteries—Doubles and Ortlieb; Schaffer and Devanney.

At Piedmont, W. Va.—

		R.	H.	E.
Lawrenceville	0 0 0 3 1 0 0 0 0	4	7	6
Piedmont	0 1 0 0 0 5 0 2 *	8	7	8

Batteries—Slavin and Manning; D. Raley and Dailey.

At Brownsville, Pa.—

Charleroi Eagles	2 2 0 4 0 1 2	11
Brownsville	0 2 0 6 3 4 *	15

Batteries—Mathers and Bentz; Morrison and McManus.

At Lonaconing, Md.—

		R.	H.	E.
Lonaconing	1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	6	5
Frostburg	1 0 0 1 0 4 3 0 *	9	9	1

Batteries—Brown and Laughlin; Diebold and Mudd.

Errors Lose for Butler.

BUTLER, PA., May 23.—(Special.)—Niles this afternoon again won from Butler after the game had apparently been clinched by the locals. Butler outbatted Niles, but errors in the seventh and ninth innings gave the game away. Score:

Butler.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Niles.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Demoss s	1	0	1	1	1	Kruger 2	1	1	1	0	0
M'Kec'e 3	0	1	0	2	1	McKee 1	1	1	0	0	0
Harkins m	1	1	0	0	0	Cooper m	2	2	3	0	0
Shotwell 1	1	1	12	1	3	Gorton c	0	1	8	1	0
M'Laf'ty 1	0	1	0	0	1	Patterson 1	0	0	13	0	0
Trainor 2	0	0	3	2	1	Maag s	0	0	1	4	2
Bosinsky c	0	0	9	2	1	Pegg r	1	1	0	0	1
McCrea r	0	1	1	1	0	M'Cl'tock 3	1	1	1	6	1
Hazelton p	2	3	1	5	0	Allamang p	0	0	0	5	1
Totals	5	8	27	14	8	Totals	6	7	27	16	5

Niles .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 3—6
Butler .... 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 1 1—5

Two-base hits—Hazelton, McClintock. Three-base hits—Shotwell, McKechnie, Kruger. Sacrifice hits—McCrea, McLafferty, Demoss 2, Shotwell, Maag. Struck out—By Hazelton 11; by Allemang 5. Bases on balls—Off Hazelton 4, off Allemang 5. Stolen bases—Demoss, Kruger 2, Cooper, Pegg. Umpire—Graham.

American Women Play Fine Golf.

LONDON, May 23.—The American women entrants for the ladies' golf championship, play in which began at Cromer (Norfolk) May 29, are creating a sensation by the splendid showing they are making in practice. Today Miss Georgianna Bishop of Bridgeport, Conn., the American woman champion, lowered the course for nine holes, going out in 36 strokes.

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One could put new whiskey in bottles and in 50 years that whiskey would still be the same. New whiskey put in barrels and kept at a certain temperature would in four years be exactly the same as if it were eight years in ordinary storage. The aging is done by keeping the warehouse in continual summer for so many years. (The tannin in the oak from which the barrels are made colors, purifies and clarifies the originally colorless whiskey); with Gibson's Pure Rye Whiskey the barrels play no unimportant part. The best oak to be found is bought and dried and seasoned for three years at the distillery and then the barrels are charred and made on the premises. The amount of money locked up by the distillers of Gibson's Whiskey in oak staves alone would surprise people. But this is one of the things that has made Gibson's Pure Rye Whiskey the standard in quality. Whether it is "straight" (*bottled in bond*) or "blended" (*of different ages*) it is never anything but Gibson's Pure Rye Whiskey.

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Mrs. Mary Walsh, 1024 Windsor St., Allegheny, Pa., suffered 18 years from Asthma, compelled to sleep sitting in a chair. Thomas Hanlon, 6 Industry St., Third ward, Pittsburgh; suffered 12 years from Bronchitis and Asthma. Jacob Schmidt, Monongahela City, Pa., lungs badly affected. Harry E. Merritt, 312 Woodward Ave., McKees Rocks, Pa., Asthma in most obstinate form. O. C. Lessig, 209 Cherry St., Allegheny, Pa., coughing made him a shadow. Mrs. Mattie Kiebach, 711 Madison Ave., Allegheny, Pa.; Tuberculosis of both lungs, believed herself doomed.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 15.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Hazel street, Thirteenth ward, from Forest street to line of property of Augustus Beckert, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading, paving and curbing of Hazel street, Thirteenth ward, from Forest street to line of property of Augustus Beckert, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 14.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the placing of a new roof, new sash, new storm doors and all necessary improvements and repairs on the market house, and providing for the payment of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the placing of a new roof, new sash, new storm doors and all other necessary improvements and repairs on the market house, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvements to be paid out of item No. 4, appropriation No. 18, bureau of markets.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

No. 28.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the raising of the roof and adding ten (10) feet in height to part of Howard street pumping station, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the raising of the roof and adding ten (10) feet in height to part of Howard street pumping station is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. The cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "water bonds."

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20th, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 6.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the issue and sale of four hundred twenty thousand ($420,000.00) dollars of bonds of the city of Allegheny for the purpose of paying contractors' claims, judgments and assessments against the city for damages and expenses in the improvement of streets and construction of sewers, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of the interest thereon.

Whereas, By an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing the submission to a vote of the electors of the city of Allegheny the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of $420,000.00 for the purpose of paying contractors' claims, judgments and assessments against the city for damages and expenses in the improvement of streets and the construction of sewers," approved by the mayor on the sixteenth day of January, 1905, the corporate authorities of the city of Allegheny signified their desire that the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of $420,000.00 for the purposes therein named, be submitted to the electors of said city of Allegheny at the municipal election held on Tuesday the 21st day of February, 1905, in accordance with the laws of the state of Pennsylvania; and,

Whereas, Proper and timely notice having been given according to law, such election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and duly certified returns thereof, together with a certified copy of the said ordinance and proper proofs of publication and advertisement were duly made and recorded, in every respect as required by law; and,

Whereas, By the returns of said election it appears that a majority of the electors voting at said election voted for said proposed increase of indebtedness; therefore,

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an issue of bonds in the name of the city of Allegheny, to be designated "Street Improvement Bonds, 1905," to the aggregate amount of $420,000.00, be and the same is hereby authorized.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall bear date June 1, 1905, with interest coupons attached, payable semi-annually, with the privilege of exchanging such coupon bonds for a registered bond or bonds (which shall be in any denomination not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor) by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the city controller. Said bonds shall be issued in denominations of one hundred dollars each or multiples thereof to suit purchasers, and shall be payable as follows, to-wit: Bonds to the aggregate amount of $16,800.00 shall be payable on the first day of June, 1911, and bonds to the aggregate amount of $16,800.00 shall be payable on the first day of June of each year for a period of twenty-four years thereafter. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, at the office of the city controller of the city of Allegheny, on the first days of June and December of each year, and the principal thereof shall be payable at their maturity at the same place. Said bonds shall be signed by the mayor and countersigned by the city controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the city of Allegheny, and the proceeds thereof shall be applied exclusively for the purpose of paying contractors' claims, judgments and assessments against the city for damages and expenses in the improvement of streets and the construction of sewers.

Sec. 3. Until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for such purposes, a tax for the payment of the principal and interest thereof as the same shall become due and payable, as follows, to-wit: for the year 1906, $16,800.00; for the year 1907, $16,800.00; for the year 1908, $16,800.00; for the year 1909, $16,800.00; for the year 1910, $16,800.00; for the year 1911, $33,600.00; for the year 1912, $32,928.00; for the year 1913, $32,256.00; for the year 1914, $31,584.00; for the year 1915, $30,912.00; for the year 1916, $30,240.00; for the year 1917, $29,568.00; for the year 1918, $28,896.00; for the year 1919, $28,224.00; for the year 1920, $27,552.00; for the year 1921, $26,880.00; for the year 1922 $26,208.00; for the year 1923, $25,536.00; for the year 1924, $24,864.00; for the year 1925, $24,192.00; for the year 1926, $23,520.00; for the year 1927, $22,848.00; for the year 1928, $22,176.00; for the year 1929, $21,504.00; for the year 1930 $20,832.00; for the year 1931, $20,160.00; for the year 1932, $19,488.00; for the year 1933, $18,816.00; for the year 1934 $18,144.00; for the year 1935, $17,472.00. And the said amount for each year respectively is hereby appropriated out of the revenues of the said city for the payment and redemption of the said bonds and interest as aforesaid and for no other purpose whatever.

Sec. 4. All bonds issued by virtue of this ordinance and the acts of assembly authorizing the same shall be and become a part of the funded debt of the city of Allegheny and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and for the payment of the principal of the said bonds and the interest thereon as the same shall mature or become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said city are hereby pledged.

Sec. 5. The city controller is hereby authorized and instructed to advertise for proposals for the sale of said bonds, and the mayor and the city controller are hereby authorized and directed to issue and sell said bonds in accordance with the provisions of the act of assembly in such case made and provided.

Sec. 6. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.

ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

O'NEIL BETRAYS NO DEEP SECRET

Admits, What Everybody Knew, That Citizens Party's Rules Are Very Loose.

LEADERS HAVE THE POWER

The Citizens party's leaders have not appointed their committee which is to discuss fusion with the Democrats on the county ticket. At least that was the statement made by several of the leaders yesterday. It was supposed that J. D. O'Neil, the acting county chairman, would have the power to appoint the committee, but Mr. O'Neil modestly disclaimed such prerogative.

Incidentally Mr. O'Neil, in his remarks, showed by what loose "rules" the Citizens party is bound, for if the leaders wish they can continue the present county committee indefinitely in power. Mr. O'Neil first explained that the power to say whether or not there would be a fusion rested with the present committee.

"The existing county commitee is the only power which can determine how the Citizens party's candidates for county offices are to be nominated," said Mr. O'Neil, "and if the committee decides that a committee on fusion should confer with a similar committee of the Democrats, the county committee will say how that committee shall be appointed. I have not the power to do so, nor have any two or three or four men that right. No call has been issued for the county committee to come together. I do not know that anybody is contemplating such a call at the present moment. I don't know whether the county committee will be called together this week or next week."

Then Mr. O'Neil betrayed the looseness of the Citizens party's rules, when he said: "The present county committee will determine whether there ought to be a new committee, and if it decided that there should be, it will decide when and how it shall be chosen."

This is interpreted to mean that if the Citizens party's leaders conclude they can do business better with the present committee, they will continue its existence indefinitely, although they really need not fear possible independence of action on the part of a new committee, as the members of it will be selected personally by the leaders, there being no system of primaries, as with the Republicans, by which the voters determine the complexion of the party committees.

The Republicans expect to begin active work next week in making the party rules uniform all over the county and in the cities. The Allegheny and Pittsburgh city committees have appointed committees to confer with a similar committee of the county committee. The McKeesport city committee has so far failed to appoint a conference committee, but will do so in a few days. The joint conference committee will have copies of the rules of the county and city's committees; will go over the rules step by step, selecting what is thought best from each and welding them together in a harmonious whole, under which the business of the county and city committees will be conducted. County Chairman Thomas J. Ford says the work will take some time.

CAN SETTLE DIFFICULTY.

J. W. Patterson Says Wabash-P. R. R. Duquesne Way Elevations Are Not in Hopeless Shape.

"There is no difference between the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and our company that cannot be settled," said J. W. Patterson, vice president and chief engineer of the Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal railway yesterday. "Further than that I do not care to discuss the reports of a difficulty over the Pennsylvania not establishing its Duquesne way line at the agreed grade."

At the office of N. E. Brown, assistant engineer of construction in charge of the Duquesne way work, it was stated that every provision of the ordinance allowing the construction of the Duquesne way line had been followed to the letter.

It has been stated that the Wabash officials have found that the Pennsylvania line is two feet and nine inches higher than agreed, and that on this account the stipulation of a clearance of 17½ feet by the Wabash over the Pennsylvania tracks has been made impossible.

The fight between the two interests in Pittsburgh councils two years ago, on the elevations of the two elevated lines, was one of the most notable in the whole Wabash entrance program. It ended in a compromise, which was agreed to by both parties.

SOCIETY

Luncheons, bridge parties and dinners, one or more of which is scheduled for each day this week, are furnishing a continuous round of enjoyment for the members of the Allegheny smart set. One of the most beautifully appointed and also one of the most informal affairs of the season was the luncheon at which Mrs. John Moorhead, Jr., was hostess yesterday afternoon. It was given at the Allegheny Country club in honor of Mrs. William Booth Trainer, who was Miss Martha D. Dalzell before her marriage in the winter. The table decorations were exquisite and consisted of dainty little wicker baskets filled with loosely arranged lilies of the valley, yellow daisies and ferns. The guest list included Mrs. Trainer, Mrs. Morton C. Nichols of New York; Mrs. Thomas W. Bakewell, Miss Madeline F. Laughlin, Miss Marguerite Singer, Mrs. Thomas McK. Cook, Mrs. J. Walton Cook, Miss Mary Rhodes, Mrs. J. Walter Rhodes, Miss Alice Scully, Mrs. Galbraith Perry Rodgers, Mrs. James Harold Childs, Mrs. William C. Robinson, Mrs. Louis W. Dalzell, Mrs. Horace Moorhead, Mrs. James Wood Scully and Miss Hughson of Toronto, Canada, who is visiting Miss Euphemia Bakewell of Shady avenue, East End. Bridge whist followed the luncheon and the prizes, dainty silk parasols, were won by Mrs. Scully, Miss Rhodes, Mrs. Horace Moorhead and Miss Hughson.

Gives Beautiful Pansy Luncheon.

Mrs. E. P. Whitcomb of Stratford avenue was hostess at an exceedingly beautiful bridge-luncheon yesterday afternoon, the guests having been asked to honor Mrs. William Goodwin of Bradford, who will be Mrs. Whitcomb's guest until Friday. She is just returning from a visit to Beaumont, Tex. The other guests were Mrs. Robert Jones, Mrs. C. Breck, Mrs. Courtney, Mrs. Charles Gable, Mrs. John Painter, Mrs. George Wittmer, Mrs. Charles O'Brien, Mrs. E. P. Sawhill, Mrs. Roseberg and Mrs. Louis Duve. Bridge followed the luncheon and the prizes were won by Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Gable and Mrs. Roseberg. A low mound of beautifully shaded purple pansies formed the centerpiece on the luncheon table, while for favors there were dainty baskets filled with the same blossoms. A stringed orchestra was a feature of the entertainment. Mrs. Whitcomb will again entertain for her house guest tomorrow, when she will give a euchre.

Entertains Three Clubs.

Mrs. John Eaton of Bidwell street entertained the members of her two bridge clubs and of the Fort Pitt Whist club at the Country club yesterday morning. The games were followed by a luncheon of 34 covers, for which the decorations were pink sweet peas. Dainty silver loving cups were awarded as prizes to Mrs. Henry Dallmeyer, Jr., Mrs. Arthur Vining Davis and Mrs. Heimer. Mr. and Mrs. Eaton will leave on June 5 for their cottage at Spring Lake, N. J., where they will be joined later in the season by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brown, and little Miss Margaret Brown.

Entertaining Toronto Girl.

Miss Euphemia Bakewell of Shady avenue, has as her house guest Miss Hughson of Toronto, Can., who will remain in the city for several weeks. On Monday evening Miss Bakewell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Bakewell, chaperoned a box party of young people at the Nixon. The play was followed by a supper at the Pittsburgh club, the guests including Miss Hughson, Miss Jean Oliver, Miss Martha Chambers, Miss Carolyn Hay, Mr. and Mrs. J. Walton Cook, Raymond Holland, William Frew, Augustus K. Oliver, Donald Thompson, Glen Stewart and Miss Bakewell.

Mrs. Dinkey Will Be Hostess.

Mrs. Alva C. Dinkey of Ellsworth avenue will give a luncheon of 14 covers at the Country club this afternoon. Mrs. John Agnew of Clareton, who expects to travel for some time, will be the guest of honor, and covers will also be laid for Mrs. W. Whigham, Mrs. Webster R. Balsinger, Mrs. R. E. Stewart, Miss Leonora Stewart, Miss Caroline Stewart, Mrs. J. Grant Anderson, Mrs. G. S. Page, Mrs. Marshall R. Ward, Mrs. H. Egan, Mrs. C. E. Dinkey, Miss Betty Walker and Mrs. J. A. Nicholls.

Young People at "Solitude."

Mrs. George Westinghouse entertained a group of young friends at dinner at "Solitude" last evening. Liberty roses were used to decorate the table, while through the other rooms American Beauties were placed. The guest list included Maj. von Etzel and Herr von du Vernois, who left for Washington after the dinner; Miss Elizabeth Otrom Lauder, Miss Jeannette Hawkins, George Westinghouse, Jr., Miss Marion Clarke, Col. Henry G. Prout, Miss Anne Burgwin, Miss Grace Aiken, Thomas Atterbury McGinley, Miss Jeannette Abbott, A. G. Uptegraff, Miss Harriett Balken, Mr. Parsons, Miss Georgia Gormley and King Scott.

Madrigal Quartet Entertains.

Half a hundred friends of Miss Helen Keil were delightfully entertained last evening at her home in Fifth avenue, Oakland. The occasion was an informal musicale given by the new Madrigal quartet, which is fast gaining renown for itself. The quartet is composed of Miss Ruth Hay, Miss Keil, Miss Elisabeth Dorchester and Miss Abbie Carson. The members were accompanied by Miss L. Marianne Genet and assisted by James Black, 'cellist.

Wedding Invitations Out Today.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hay of Clyde street will send out invitations today for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Nell Young Hay, and Francis Jacob Meyers of Bethlehem, to take place on the evening of Wednesday, June 14. The Hotel Schenley will be the scene of the wedding, and 7:30 o'clock the hour. A bridal party of 14 will be in attendance. The Rev. Dr. Daniel Dorchester, Jr., pastor of Christ Methodist Episcopal church, will officiate at the ceremony.

Mrs. Kuhn's Assistants.

Mrs. William Rittenhouse Kuhn will be assisted by several friends at the reception which she will give from 4 until 6 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The aids include Mrs. Murry A. Verner, Miss Bessie McCargo, Mrs. John Jennings Brooks, Mrs. John P. Knable, Mrs. Charles Kincaid and Mrs. Will Kincaid. Mr. and Mrs. Kuhn will receive together after 8:30 o'clock in the evening.

Bridal Couple at Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reed are expected home about the middle of June. They are now at Hot Springs, Va., and will visit Baltimore, Mrs. Reed's former home, before coming here where they expect to be at home with Mr. Reed's mother, Mrs. George W. Reed of Fifth avenue. The bride will be remembered as Miss Maud Travers Howell, Mrs. Darius Howell's daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichols Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton C. Nichols of New York, who have been making a visit of some length at the Allegheny Country club in Sewickley Heights, expect to return to their home in the east during the latter part of this week. Mrs. Nichols, it will be recalled, was Mrs. Allene Tew Hostetter of this city.

Reception for New Pastor.

The women of the First English Lutheran church, Grant street, will give a reception for the new associate pastor, the Rev. George J. Gongaware, in the parlors of the church tomorrow. The hours are from 3 until 5 and from 8 until 10 o'clock. No formal invitations have been issued, but all interested are asked to attend.

Church Club to Present Play.

The Social club of the First Unitarian church will give a play, "Who is Who? or All in a Fog" in the vestry of the church, Ellsworth and Morewood avenues, on Friday evening. Those who will essay the various roles are Everett E. Kebew, D. A. Lawson, Thomas C. Clifford, Miss Fannie Hunt and Mrs. Thomas C. Clifford.

Mrs. Marshall's Bridge Party.

Without any special guest of honor Mrs. Thomas Marshall, Jr. was hostess at eight tables of bridge yesterday afternoon, at her home in Fifth avenue. Prizes were won by Mrs. Carter C. Beggs, Mrs. Robert Patterson, Miss Adams, Mrs. Charles Lyon and Miss Aiken. Mrs. Marshall will entertain again tomorrow afternoon.

College Girls Take Hay Ride.

Despite the cold weather, the hay ride given last evening by the "new girls" of the Pennsylvania College for Women for the "old girls" was a very enjoyable affair. Thirty girls were in the party. All returned late in the evening to the college, where supper was served.

Notes of Society.

Leo J. Spuhler and his sister, Miss Helen D. Spuhler of this city, are spending some time at Cambridge Springs.

Invitations have been received in Pittsburgh for the ninety-third annual commencement of Loretto academy, Loretto, Ky., which will be held on Tuesday morning, June 13. The graduating class includes Miss Wilfrid May Spalding, Miss Jane Frances Blincoe, Miss Janey Hazel, Miss Nina Eleanor Welsh and Miss Nannie Rapier.

Gilden R. Broadberry will give a studio recital on Saturday afternoon assisted by Miss Theodosia Bloor Richards, Miss Louise Christina Schmitt, Miss Genevieve Lavelle Beatty and Miss Ruth Hamilton Wilson.

Miss Alice M. Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Clark of Worthington, Armstrong county, and John C. Somerville, also of that place, were married yesterday morning at the home of the bride's brother-in-law, C. F. Minteer, in Wilkinsburg. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. W. Schwartz, pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran church of Worthington. There were no attendants. Mr. Somerville is a delegate to the general assembly of the United Presbyterian church, which will meet this week in Washingtonville, Ia. The wedding tour will include the trip to that place.

Invitations were sent yesterday for the wedding of Miss Anna Minerva Hoey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Hoey of McKeesport to Albert B. Holmes, to take place at the residence of the bride's parents on Tuesday, June 6.

AMONG THE CLUBS

The executive committee of the Woman's club met yesterday to appoint committees for the year. The committee also took under consideration a celebration of the thirtieth anniversary of the organization of the club, which is the oldest in Western Pennsylvania. The celebration will take place in November, the exact form not having been decided upon yet. The committees appointed yesterday include the following: Program, Mrs. G. L. W. Price, chairman; Mrs. J. D. Hamilton, Miss Margaret Hoyer, Miss Caroline Blumberg and Mrs. Edgar C. Gerwig. Social committee: Mrs. Charles R. Wray, chairman; Miss Anna Gerwig, Mrs. Harrington L. Butler, Mrs. Annie E. Smith, Mrs. Frank Whitesell, with the following aids: Miss Minnie R. Kuhn, Mrs. W. B. Brenneman, Mrs. Florence E. Lea, Mrs. A. W. Bean, Miss Eva May Gamble, Mrs. Edward H. Straub, Mrs. Francis H. Brown, Mrs. James B. Jones, Miss Emma Cordier, Mrs. W. C. Butterfield, Mrs. F. P. Dame, Mrs. Ama Sawhill. Press: Mrs. S. G. Rosenstock, chairman; Miss Cara Reese, Mrs. Charles W. Bier, Mrs. Dallas Albert, Miss Williamina Duncan. Music: Mrs. Minnie O. Roberts, chairman; Mrs. J. B. Schaub, Mrs. Edwin Miller, Mrs. H. L. Stewart, Mrs. J. N. Keyser. Civic: Mrs. Vitellius Matthews, chairman; Mrs. W. P. Price, Mrs. Jane A. Hall, Mrs. Minnie O. Roberts, Mrs. Albert Blumberg, Mrs. W. G. Bishop, Mrs. S. H. Johnson, Mrs. F. R. Wade, Mrs. Annie E. Smith, Mrs. John H. Evans, Mrs. Robert D. Coard, Mrs. Anthony W. Smith, Jr., Mrs. J. N. Keyser, Mrs. Harrington Butler. Reciprocity and club extension: Mrs. Andrew Easton, chairman; Mrs. Hugo Rosenberg, Mrs. Sarah Archer, Mrs. William Swindell, Mrs. Charles W. Ashley, Mrs. William H. House, Mrs. Frederic Aschman, Mrs. Julia Nelson, Mrs. Abbott S. Cooke. Summer playgrounds and vacation schools: South school, Pittsburgh: Mrs. Annie E. Smith, chairman; Mrs. Charles R. Wray, Mrs. Charles W. Bier, Miss Margaret Hoyer and Mrs. Robert D. Coard. Seventh ward school, Allegheny: Mrs. John H. Evans, chairman; Mrs. Vitellius Matthews, Mrs. G. L. W. Price, Mrs. Charles W. Gerwig, Miss Anna Gerwig, Mrs. Frank Whitesell and Mrs. Alexander C. Latimer. The executive committee of the Woman's club is composed of these officers: President, Mrs. James S. McKelvey; first vice president, Mrs. W. J. Glenn; second vice president, Mrs. Florence R. Wade; recording secretary, Mrs. A. C. Latimer, corresponding secretary; Mrs. M. W. Wray; treasurer, Mrs. Charles W. Gerwig; historian, Mrs. Charles L. Wade; critic, Mrs. Sarah Archer, and Mrs. Robert D. Coard, Mrs. Anthony W. Smith, Jr., and Mrs. Minnie O. Roberts.

Monday Club Meets.

Mrs. A. B. Scott entertained the Monday club of Carnegie at her home. Arrangements were made for the dinner given annually by the club, on Memorial day for the members of Thomas Espy post of Carnegie. Mrs. J. M. Duff read a paper on "Browning and Tennyson Contrasted." Mrs. A. S. Hogan reviewed Tennyson's "Princess." Mrs. Marion Carnahan presented "A Study of Browning" and Mrs. W. H. Roberts wrote of "Mrs. Browning."

Applying for Collegiate Scholarship.

Miss Alice Sellton at the Pensylvania College for Women has received 19 applications for the scholarship of $150 offered by the Collegiate Alumnae association of Pittsburgh for the school year of 1905-1906. Applications may still be received this week. The examinations, which will be in three branches, algebra, Virgil and English, will be conducted at the Pennsylvania College for Women next Tuesday, May 30, two being given in the morning and one in the afternoon. The applicants have designated the colleges of their choice, which include nearly all of those represented in the membership of the Alumnae association. Advantage is taken of the fact that next Tuesday will be a holiday, and the examinations can be taken without interfering with the school work of the young women who are entered for the scholarship. These examinations will merely determine who is eligible to the scholarship, which will be awarded upon the successful completion of the entrance examinations to the different institutions or the acceptance of the certificates from the schools from which the applicants graduate.

Kindergarten Association Meets.

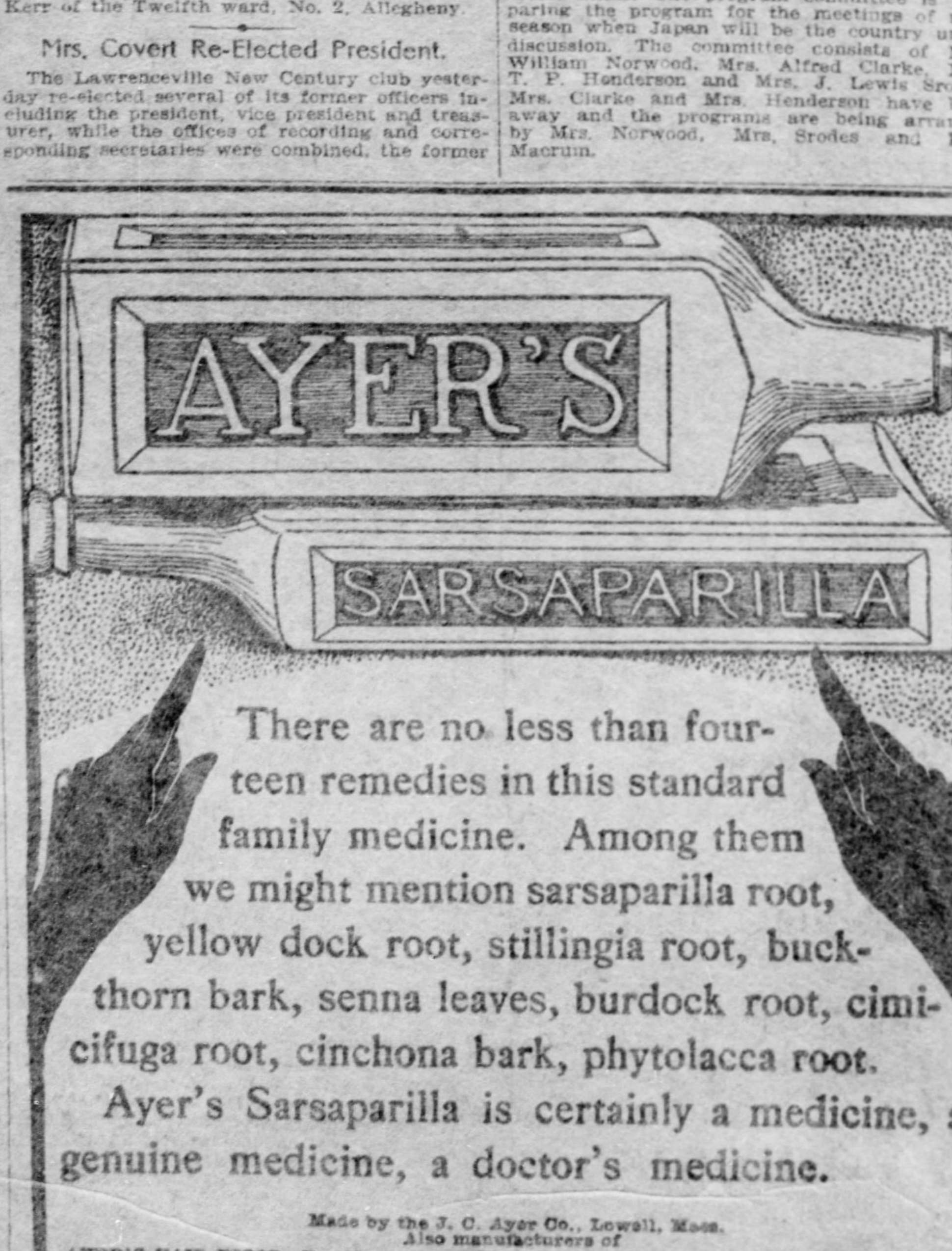
Miss Mary E. Bakewell, secretary of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Free Kindergarten association, announces that tickets for the lawn fete on June 20, at the Kindergarten college, will be ready for distribution at the meeting of the association at the college next Friday morning. Further plans for the lawn fete will be made at that time. Reports of the work in the kindergartens will also be presented by Miss Mary Parmley, of the Fifth ward kindergarten, No. 2, and by Miss Alice Kerr of the Twelfth ward, No. 2, Allegheny.

Mrs. Covert Re-Elected President.

The Lawrenceville New Century club yesterday re-elected several of its former officers including the president, vice president and treasurer, while the offices of recording and corresponding secretaries were combined, the former corresponding secretary being elected to fill the one office. The officers are: President, Mrs. J. J. Covert; vice president, Mrs. Louise Stifel; secretary, Miss Kate Neumont, and treasurer, Mrs. E. M. Grove. The club met in the home of the Lawrenceville branch of the Young Women's Christian association. A paper on "The French and Indian War," omitted at the last meeting, was read by Miss Carrie M. Ziegler. The club programs for next year will still be confined to American history, the period between the Revolution and the Civil war to be followed. The first meeting of the club in the fall will be held on Tuesday, October 17.

Travelers Hold Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Travelers' club was held yesterday when the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. W. P. Price; first vice president, Mrs. James Dick; second vice president, Mrs. John M. L'Amour; recording secretary, Mrs. Gertrude Coyle; corresponding secretary, Mrs. George Hubbard; treasurer, Mrs. Benjamin F. Veach; musical director, Mrs. Z. T. Miller, and critic, Mrs. James M. Drill. Mrs. William Macrum, Mrs. Harvey McKinney and Mrs. Edward A. Jones were elected members of the executive committee of which the officers are ex-officio members. The ticket elected was the one presented by the nominating committee. The Travelers' club formerly elected its officers after nominations from the floor. A final meeting of the club will be held on Tuesday, June 13, in the Central Young Women's Christian association building, Fifth street. It will be a social affair. The program committee is preparing the program for the meetings of next season when Japan will be the country under discussion. The committee consists of Mrs. William Norwood, Mrs. Alfred Clarke, Mrs. T. P. Henderson and Mrs. J. Lewis Srodes. Mrs. Clarke and Mrs. Henderson have been away and the programs are being arranged by Mrs. Norwood, Mrs. Srodes and Mrs. Macrum.



There are no less than fourteen remedies in this standard family medicine. Among them we might mention sarsaparilla root, yellow dock root, stillingia root, buckthorn bark, senna leaves, burdock root, cimicifuga root, cinchona bark, phytolacca root. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is certainly a medicine, a genuine medicine, a doctor's medicine.

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(No. 13.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the painting of the interior and exterior of the market house, and providing for the payment of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the painting of the interior and exterior of the market house, is hereby authorized and ordered and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be paid out of item No. 4, appropriation No. 18, bureau of markets.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 25.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the payment of $699.53 to John M. Orr, for labor done and material furnished for the bureau of highways and sewers, department of public works, from June 25, 1904, to November 11, 1904.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the city controller is hereby instructed to issue a certificate for a warrant on the mayor in favor of John M. Orr in the sum of six hundred ninety-nine dollars and fifty-three cents ($699.53) for labor done and material furnished for the bureau of highways and sewers, department of public works, from June 25, 1904, to November 11, 1904, in accordance with the accompanying bills.

The above sum to be paid out of appropriation No. 41, contingent fund.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 10.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the issue and sale of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000.00) of bonds of the city of Allegheny for the purpose of building porches on the buildings for the insane at the city home at Claremont, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of the interest thereon.

Whereas, By an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the submission to a vote of the electors of the city of Allegheny the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of $25,000.00 for the purpose of building porches on the buildings for the insane at the city home at Claremont," approved by the mayor on the sixteenth day of January, 1905, the corporate authorities of the city of Allegheny signified their desire that the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of $25,000.00 for the purposes therein named, be submitted to the electors of said city of Allegheny at the municipal election held on Tuesday the twenty-first day of February, 1905, in accordance with the laws of the state of Pennsylvania; and,

Whereas, Proper and timely notice having been given according to law, such election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and duly certified returns thereof, together with a certified copy of the said ordinance and proper proofs of publication and advertisement were duly made and recorded, in every respect as required by law; and,

Whereas, By the returns of said election it appears that a majority of the electors voting at said election, voted for said proposed increase of indebtedness; therefore,

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an issue of bonds in the name of the city of Allegheny, to be designated "City Home Bonds, 1905," to the aggregate amount of $25,000.00, be and the same is hereby authorized.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall bear date June 1, 1905, and shall be registered in the office of the controller of the city of Allegheny, and shall be issued in denominations of one hundred dollars each or multiples thereof to suit purchasers, and shall be payable as follows, to-wit: Bonds to the aggregate amount of $800.00 shall be payable on the first day of June, 1906, and bonds to the aggregate amount of $800.00 shall be payable on the first day of June of each year for a period of nineteen years thereafter, and bonds to the aggregate amount of $900.00 shall be payable on the first day of June, 1926, and bonds to the aggregate amount of $900.00 shall be payable on the first day of June of each year for a period of nine years thereafter. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the city controller of the city of Allegheny, on the first days of June and December of each year, and the principal thereof shall be payable at their maturity at the same place. Said bonds shall be signed by the mayor and countersigned by the city controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the city of Allegheny, and the proceeds thereof shall be applied exclusively for the purpose of building porches on the buildings for the insane at the city home at Claremont.

Sec. 3. Until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for such purposes, a tax for the payment of the principal and interest thereof as the same shall become due and payable, as follows, to-wit: for the year 1906, $1,800.00; for the year 1907, $1,768.00; for the year 1908, $1,736.00; for the year 1909, $1,704.00; for the year 1910, $1,672.00; for the year 1911, 1,640.00; for the year 1912, $1,608.00; for the year 1913, $1,576.00; for the year 1914, $1,544.00; for the year 1915; $1,512.00; for the year 1916, $1,480.00; for the year 1917, $1,448.00; for the year 1918, $1,416.00; for the year 1919, $1,384.00; for the year 1920, $1,352.00; for the year 1921, $1,320.00; for the year 1922, $1,288.00; for the year 1923, $1,256.00; for the year 1924, $1,224.00; for the year 1925, $1,192.00; for the year 1926, $1,260.00; for the year 1927, $1,224.00; for the year 1928, $1,188.00; for the year 1929, $1,152.00; for the year 1930, $1,116.00; for the year 1931, $1,080.00; for the year 1932, $1,044.00; for the year 1933, $1,008.00; for the year 1934, $972.00; for the year 1935, $936.00. And the said amount for each year respectively is hereby appropriated out of the revenues of the said city for the payment and redemption of the said bonds and interest as aforesaid and for no other purpose whatever.

Sec. 4. All bonds issued by virtue of this ordinance and the acts of assembly authorizing the same shall be and become a part of the funded debt of the city of Allegheny and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and for the payment of the principal of the said bonds and the interest thereon as the same shall mature or become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said city are hereby pledged.

Sec. 5. The city controller is hereby authorized and instructed to advertise for proposals for the sale of said bonds, and the mayor and the city controller are hereby authorized and directed to issue and sell said bonds in accordance with the provisions of the act of assembly in such case made and provided.

Sec. 6. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 29.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction and erection of a new steam line and changing feed line at Howard street pumping station, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction and erection of a new steam line and changing feed line at Howard street pumping station, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. The cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "water bonds."

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20th, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 26.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the payment of $472.99 to the May Lumber Company for lumber furnished the bureau of highways and sewers, department of public works, from August 2, 1904, to February 17, 1905.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the city controller is hereby instructed to issue a certificate on the mayor for a warrant in favor of the May Lumber Company, in the sum of four hundred seventy-two dollars and ninety-nine cents ($472.99) in payment for lumber furnished the bureau of highways and sewers, department of public works, from August 2, 1904, to February 17, 1905, in accordance with accompanying bill. The above sum to be paid out of item No. 2, appropriation No. 11, bureau of highways and sewers.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May, 20th, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 12.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the painting of the outside of City hall, and providing for the payment of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the painting of the outside of City hall, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly, in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be paid out of item No. 3, appropriation No. 16, bureau of city property.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 2.

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the salary of the assistant clerk in the office of the city comptroller.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after May 1, 1905, the salary of the assistant clerk in the office of the city comptroller be and is hereby fixed at one hundred ($100.00) dollars per month. Payable out of appropriation No. 1, salaries.

Section 2—That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.

Attest:
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 16.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a driveway in Riverview park, from Grand avenue to connect with the present road leading from Marshall avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a driveway in Riverview park, from Grand avenue to connect with the present road leading from Marshall avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "Park Bonds, 1905."

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 17.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a driveway around the Observatory site in Riverview park, and the improvement of the ground adjacent, and providing for the payment of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a driveway around the Observatory site in Riverview park, and the improvement of the ground adjacent, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "Park Bonds, 1905."

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 18.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the extension of the Western avenue sewer, Fifth ward, from the terminus of the present sewer to the harbor line, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the extension of the Western avenue sewer, Fifth ward, from the terminus of the present sewer to the harbor line, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 20.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a public sewer on Seibert street, Eleventh ward, from Stayton street to connect with present sewer on street, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a public sewer on Seibert street, Eleventh ward, from Stayton street to connect with present sewer on street, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 21.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a public sewer on McDonald street, Eleventh ward, from Woodland avenue to Brighton road, and providing for the assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a public sewer on McDonald street, Eleventh ward, from Woodland avenue to Brighton road, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of May, A. D. 1905.

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Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., May 20, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

APPEAL IS TAKEN TO HIGHER COURT

Opponents of Somerset Liquor License Applicants Are Not Yet Satisfied.

PROMOTER ASKS BIG DAMAGES

The supreme court has been called upon to pass on the question involved in the appeals of eleven Somerset county applicants for liquor licenses, whose petitions were thrown out of quarter sessions court of that county because the names of their bondsmen were not given in the papers, the bonds being attached instead. The quarter sessions court decided that it had no power to allow the petitions to be amended.

On an appeal the superior court, last week, reversed the lower court, declared the defect was technical, ordered the petitions amended and sent the applications back to Somerset county for further proceedings according to law. This meant that the applicants should have hearings on their amended petitions.

The opponents of the applicants yesterday filed petitions with Prothonotary George Pearson of the supreme court asking for permission to carry the cases to the higher court. The papers were forwarded to Philadelphia last night for the action of the supreme court.

A petition for permission to appeal from the superior court to the supreme court was also filed in the case of Schofield, receiver, vs. Turner. Schofield is the receiver of the Aetna Mutual Live Stock Insurance Company, and was authorized to levy an assessment to meet the obligations. The question at issue in the case is whether the statute of limitations began to run from the time of the assignment or the date of the order of court authorizing it. The lower court and superior court both decided in favor of the latter date.

Suit on a Verbal Agreement.

M. J. McMahon has brought suit against the Ft. Pitt Malleable and Grey Iron Company, claiming that he has been damaged to the extent of $50,000. He claims that in May, 1901, he entered into a verbal agreement with John J. Ryan and Frank J. Lanahan to form a corporation for the manufacture of special iron products. Lanahan was to promote the affair, which was to be capitalized at $150,000. He avers that Lanahan obtained subscriptions to the amount of $130,000, $20,000 of which was to be held by the corporation until it had earned $150,000, when the $20,000 worth of stock was to be divided between the plaintiff and Ryan, both of whom were practical foundrymen and were to manage the business at a salary of $2,400 a year. McMahon alleges that he was discharged November 6, 1904, and denied the opportunity of carrying out the agreement. He avers that in addition to the loss of his share of the $20,000 stock, $1,500 of his salary was also withheld.

William Peters alias "William Richardson" and Michael Brenen, two alleged Allegheny thieves, who it was claimed assaulted County Detective Harry Merit, on Federal street, Allegheny, a month ago in an attempt to rescue William Poole, alias "Kid Foley," a well-known pickpocket whom Detective Merit had arrested on a bench warrant, were tried before Judge Shafer in criminal court. Peters and Brenen were charged jointly with assault and battery and interfering with an officer and Peters had an additional charge of larceny against him for the alleged stealing of Detective Merit's revolver during the fight. Both defendants were convicted on the minor charge of interfering with an officer, but verdicts of acquittal were rendered in the assault and battery and larceny cases.

Negro Convicted of Shooting.

Harris Blackwell, a negro, was convicted of felonious assault, County Detective Jerry Lutz being the prosecutor. Blackwell shot and seriously wounded James Scales, another negro, at Gallatin, a mining hamlet, early in April.

Other cases disposed of were: Frank Johnston, larceny; Jacob Gilligham, receiving stolen goods; Letuski and Stany Butkopski, larceny, guilty; John Anderson, larceny, guilty; Charles Kalip, larceny, guilty, sentenced six months to the workhouse; Walter Lee, felony, guilty; L. W. Williams, assault and battery, guilty, sentenced five months to the workhouse; John Cole, felony, guilty.

Mrs. Hanna Bertram, of 12 Nichols street, Allegheny, had a capias issued for the arrest of John Hildebrand and entered suit against him for $5,000 damages. She alleges that Hildebrand accused her before neighbors with having written anonymous letters to Dr. Berg in which the character of the defendant's sister was attacked. She avers that he said that fully 150 letters had been written and that Dr. Berg could prove that she wrote them.

Common pleas court No. 1 dismissed the equity suit of James Whyte against H. L. Kreusler, Thomas Y. Wise and Charles I. Boyer at the cost of the plaintiff. The suit was an action to secure an accounting of a partnership formed to engage in general brick work contracting. Attorneys Kinnear, McCloskey and Best represented Kreusler.

The court gives two reasons for dismissing the suit, the first being that a full accounting of the partnership was served on the plaintiff prior to his bringing suit and was set forth in full in the defendant's answer which constitutes a bar to any recovery until it was specifically attacked. The second reason given was that Whyte had accepted various payments knowing they were made in distribution of assets without any objection until the last payment had been made, which constitutes such approval of the account as would estop him from raising objections.

Two Large Verdicts Rendered.

Two large verdicts were given in common pleas courts: A. W. Mellon receiving $122,000 in his suit for damages against the city and Joseph F. Speer was granted $12,500 from the Schultz Iron and Bridge Company for personal injuries. Speer's verdict is one of the largest ever granted in the local courts for personal injuries. Speer was injured in 1896 by an iron truss falling on him at the Lake Erie freight station, South Side. The suit was not brought at the time as Speer was then a minor. It was shown that his spine was permanently injured. Attorney Joseph Howley represented him.

In the Mellon case he appealed from the award of viewers who gave him $70,000 damages to his property at Wood and Diamond streets caused by the widening of Diamond street. The verdict was a compromise, the plaintiff asking for $160,000.

The argument in the suit of Frank E. Bainum, of Lawrenceville, by his next friend, Jerry Houk, against the American Bridge Company, will be taken up this morning in the United States circuit court before Judge Buffington. The testimony was all in yesterday. Bainum, who is a minor, wants $50,000 damages for personal injuries received. In November, 1904, while working on a bridge structure at Brunots island, the petitioner fell from a stairway, sustaining permanent injuries. The plaintiff contends that the accident was due to his being ordered to perform a service beyond his physical capabilities.

Equity Suit Is Dismissed.

Judge Young dismissed the equity suit filed by Benjamin A. Laws against John P. Kieman, an action arising over patents to a roller coaster, and the formation of the Myers Amusement Company.

Laws alleged he was the co-inventor with Myers and a stock company was formed with Kieman, Myers and Frederick Diffenbach, the capital stock of which was to be held by Kieman, who was to hold Laws' share of the stock in trust for him. Judge Young says Laws failed to prove that Kieman held 4,600 shares of stock, or in fact, any of the alleged shares of the corporation.

Executions issued: Charles Eachel vs. C. G. Walter, $161 39; Harry J. John vs. F. J. John, $827 40; J. Milo Wallace, assignee, vs. Catherine Anna Huddleston, executrix, $2,428 58.

The suit of Mrs. Kate Smith against Mrs. Millie Bennett is on trial before Judge Macfarlane, an action for damages for the alleged alienation of the affections of her husband by Mrs. Bennett. Smith is employed by Mrs. Bennett who runs a hotel at Glassport. The defense claims that Smith left his wife before he knew Mrs. Bennett, and are using the records of a divorce case she brought to prove this.

STOCKHOLDERS MEET.

Pittsburgh and Washington Coal Company Holds Annual Election of Directors.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Pittsburgh & Washington Coal Company was held yesterday in its offices, Farmers bank building. The company is a new one with coal properties at Pryor station, Washington county, on the line of the Wabash railroad.

The entire output of the mines has been sold to the Pittsburgh Coal Company and the company is in a most prosperous condition. Its officers are: President, E. J. Kent; vice president, W. L. Dixon, and secretary and treasurer, George E. Turner. Its board of directors consists of E. J. Kent, W. L. Dixon, G. E. Turner, J. R. Murphy, W. C. Temple, John Graham, George A. Harwood, W. B. Bennett, Lawrence Barr, V. M. Moss and B. M. Blake, the latter of Altoona.

Illness Closes Academy.

ANDOVER, MASS., May 23.—Phillips' Andover academy was closed today owing to illness among the students. Five students have scarlet fever in mild form, among them is R. W. E. Moore of New Lexington, Pa.

An important change of time will take effect on Pennsylvania railroad on May 28th on main line, West Penn and Monongahela divisions.

Demands Physical Perfection for All Railroad Employes

The safety appliance committee of the American Railway association has completed its report to be presented to the members at the annual meeting to be held in New York April 5. The rules laid down are the most stringent ever recommended. The physical qualifications require perfection of all parts of the body. The rules for testing the eyes make it impossible for any person to pass examination if the applicant has the least defect. The report has attached the recommendation of the Academy of Railway Surgeons. In this subreport every disease that effects the system is mentioned as sufficient to condemn the applicant.

West Virginia Lines Extending.

Work has been practically completed on the extension of the Greenbrier branch of the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad from Durbin to Arbogast in Pocohontas county, W. Va. This six-mile branch will reach a large lumbering operation just started by an Eastern syndicate. It is said, moreover, that the line has a still more important future. By a further extension of about 25 miles it will connect with the Dry Fork railroad, extending 80 miles from Hendricks on the West Virginia Central back towards Arbogast. In this way a better connection will be made with the West Virginia Central than that at present formed by the Coal & Coke railroad.

Abolishes a Passenger Station.

Orders have been issued by G. W. Creighton, general superintendent of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania railroad, to abolish the passenger train service at Twenty-eighth street, effective next Sunday. This is another evidence that it does not pay steam roads to compete with electric lines in suburban service.

Competing for Wheeling Business.

Competition between the Wabash and the Baltimore & Ohio is very keen. All roads running between Pittsburgh and Wheeling have cut down the running time to the shortest possible limit. The Pennsylvania is the latest to reduce schedule. Commencing next Sunday, the Pennsylvania will make the distance in one hour and 45 minutes. The other roads schedule the time at an even two hours.

B. & O. Officials Leave.

The Baltimore & Ohio freight traffic officials left the city yesterday in a special train for a tour of inspection of the lines west of Pittsburgh. Before leaving the party made a short tour of the Pittsburgh terminals. The train left the Baltimore & Ohio station at 9:15 and run to Butler without a stop. The special train ran slowly the entire distance so as to give the officials an opportunity to study the topography of the line. The officials expect to return to Baltimore Saturday.

Railroad Notes.

The unclaimed baggage held by the Pennsylvania railroad will be disposed of at auction this morning at 10:30. Quite a collection of articles are to be sold.

G. W. Weedon has been appointed assistant general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines at Cincinnati.

WHERE THE BROOK TROUT ARE AS BIG AS CATFISH

Grand Trunk Railway Opens Exhibition of Interest to Sportsman and the Summer Tourist.

A brook trout that weighs about eight pounds would cause a sensation if hooked in the Loyalhanna or the Cheat river, but in the streams along the Grand Trunk railway system in Canada fish of such proportions are common, and to prove that the tales of the trout of big weights are not "fish" stories, R. McC. Smith, southern passenger agent of the Grand Trunk, has brought specimens right to Pittsburgh, where local doubters may see the immense trout for themselves. These fish are shown in connection with the art exhibit, which Mr. Smith is showing in the old Chronicle Telegraph building in Fifth avenue.

For several years it has been the policy of the passenger department of the Grand Trunk to exhibit pictures of the resorts along its lines to prospective tourists and to interest sportsmen by specimens of fish and game from the Canadian woods. There are over 50 varieties of fish mounted on cedar cabinets, including eight and one-half pound brook trout, five and one-half pound black bass, wall-eyed pike, land-locked salmon, ouananiche and maskinonge.

Attractively framed bromide enlargements from photographs of scenes in the wilderness, make an interesting exhibition to the vacation seeker. There are several pictures of Sans Souci, where the Iron City Hunting and Fishing club has summer quarters, and the picturesque scenes of the Hiawatha drama at Kensington Point, on Georgian bay. The choice Canadian country for the person who looks for complete isolation is the Temagami region, a tract of primeval forest covering 1,500 square miles, which has just been opened by the Grand Trunk. The exhibition will continue until the end of the week.

THE THREE RIVERS

The stage of water at Davis Island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 4.8 feet and the river was rising.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., May 23.—At 6 p. m. today the Ohio river at Cincinnati was 28.8 feet and falling. The departures of packets from the port of Cincinnati today were: Keystone State, Pittsburgh; Greenwood, Pomeroy; Courier, Maysville, and City of Cincinnati, Louisville. The towboat movements today were: Up, The Cruiser and Tom Rees No. 2, with empties for Pittsburgh; The Conquest from St. Louis for the Kanawha passed up early this morning. The Ironsides is due Thursday to pass up from Louisville for Pittsburgh, with empties. The packet Bonanza has been pulled out on the Queen City marine ways again after having been floated by the high water of a week ago. The repairs on the boat will be finished within a few days. Clear and pleasant.

MARIETTA—River 7½ feet and falling; weather fine. Bessie Smith up, 5 p. m.; Keystone State down, 3 p. m.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; 8 feet 8 inches in canal; 6 feet 6 inches on falls; 27 feet below locks. Weather, clear and pleasant.

PARKERSBURG—River 9 feet and falling. Weather, clear and mild. The Valley Belle left at 3 p. m. for Middleport, and the Keystone State at 6 p. m. for Cincinnati.

WHEELING—River 6 feet 8 inches and falling. Weather, cloudy and cooler. Departed, Ben Hur, Parkersburg, 1 p. m.; Queen City, Pittsburgh, 1 a. m.; Liberty, Pittsburgh, 4 p. m. Up with empties, Helen White, 4 p. m.

GALLIPOLIS—River 14 feet and falling. Weather, clear and warm.

GREENSBORO—River 7.10 feet and falling. Weather, clear and cool. Columbia down on Wednesday, Hits up.

WARREN—River 1 foot. Weather clear and cool.

MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet and stationary. Weather, clear.

OIL CITY—River 1 foot 4 inches and stationary. Weather, clear and cool.

POINT PLEASANT—River 9 feet 10 inches and falling. Weather, clear. Down, Tacoma. Up, Jim Wood, Greenland, Mariner and Joan Cook.

NEW EXCURSION STEAMER.

Capt. John F. Klein Brings Out Another Side Wheeler.

Capt. John F. Klein has bought another boat for the Pittsburgh excursion trade. It is the Liberty, and she is now on her way here from Charleston, W. Va. She is a side-wheeler and cost, three years ago, $18,000. She was designed especially for excursion business and has a saloon cabin, without staterooms. She will be used by Capt. Klein in carrying small parties. The boat is expected to reach here about Thursday or Friday.

The Exporter got in yesterday with a tow of empties, the first of the big fleet now on its way up. Other boats are expected in this morning, and there will be a string of them coming all week. Work at the dockyards is still rushing and everything that coal can be loaded into is being repaired ready for the next freshet.

The Columbia got in on time yesterday morning from Morgantown and had a heavy trip. The Kanawha departed at 4 o'clock for Charleston. The Queen City arrived late last evening and will go out at 4 o'clock today. A large party of round trippers, composed of Pittsburgh, Greensburg and Latrobe people, will make the trip on her.

The Andrew Axton of the Diamond Coal Company left yesterday for Rochester with the dredgeboat Northern, two scows, four flats of coal and a boat bottom. The dredger is owned by H. L. Neale, who has a sub-contract from the Baker Construction Company for work on the dams.

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The effect of this marvelous organization and its manner of handling enormous things in a small space of time upon peoples of foreign lands can scarcely be imagined. It is said that some students of political economy attribute to the Barnum & Bailey show a very large percentage of the stupendous increase of amigration to this country from Europe during the last three or four years.

That master genius of the show world, James A. Bailey, who was the creator, and still is the controlling power of this great enterprise, has reached that point in his business life where he finds it no longer necessary to seek monetary augmentation, but continues in his active career as a matter of pride more than anything else. It is his desire to present to his native land the best results of his millions of capital and years of experience. Having absolute control of the markets of the show world—and this is no mere figure of speech—he is bringing the choicest flowers from the entertaining gardens of the world to form one huge bouquet of diversion and education to lay at the feet of the public he has served so long and so well.

There is not space at command to enumerate the well-nigh limitless array of features which will be combined in this one exhibition. Suffice it to say that Mr. Bailey will doubtless prove to the people of this community his undeniable claim to possess the greatest show on earth when the aggregation exhibits here next week. Monday and Tuesday, May 29 and 30, the show will be found in the East End. On Wednesday, May 31, the tents will be spread in Allegheny.

EX-MAYOR OF BALTIMORE AND A WOMAN MISSING

BALTIMORE, May 23.—(Special.)—Mrs. Robert C. Davidson, wife of a former mayor of this city and who has been prominent in financial, political and Baptist circles, announced today that her husband is missing. She says that he sailed for Europe last Wednesday and that he does not intend to return home. Mrs. Davidson declares that her husband has converted all of his property—about $175,000 in stocks and bonds—into cash, and that Miss Laura Banning Noyes, a beautiful trained nurse, has also left the city.

King Bids Mr. Choate Farewell.

LONDON, May 23.—King Edward today received in farewell audience the American ambassador, Mr. Choate, who presented his letters of recall. Subsequently Mr. Choate and Secretary Carter lunched with the king. Mr. Choate will sail for New York on May 30.

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YOUNG MAN to manage gents' furnishing department; good position; reference required. Address N 42, The Gazette.

Female Help.

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GIRL for general housework; good wages. Apply 701 Maryland avenue, East End.

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LADIES—Experienced lady canvassers for Satisfaction Coffee. Call at Haworth & Dewhurst, Ninth and Duquesne way.

LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress, with good references. Apply at once, 50 Riverview ave., Allegheny, Pa.

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SOLICITORS wanted to sell soap. Hoffheimer Soap Co., room 2, Renshaw bldg.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework; small family; best wages for good girl. 4514 Forbes st.

WANTED—A shirt and waist maker at once. 5028 Ellwood st., near S. Highland ave.

WOMAN—A good looking young woman to demonstrate a new folding bed. Apply between 9 and 11 a. m. Wednesday. Ask for Mr. Hurst. W. H. Keech Co., 923 to 921 Penn ave.

WOMAN—Immediately for house cleaning. 1436 Fayette st., Allegheny.

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MILLER ST., 60, near Reed—Large front room, newly furnished; 12 minutes' walk city.

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SHELLEY ST., 2711, South Side—Neatly furnished room for housekeeping or boarding; reasonable terms.

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Allegheny.

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Allegheny.

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HOME TRUST COMPANY,
Wood st. at Sixth ave.

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FOR RENT—$35; new 8-room brick house; absolutely all conveniences; cemented cellar, laundry, furnace, both gases, hardwood mantels, reception hall, bathroom, with inside w. c., stationary washstand, etc.; a neat house; good neighborhood; close to school; take Frankstown ave. cars to Homewood; these houses are in Upland st., paved and easy of access.
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Modern equipped offices in Center of business district, $22 per month and upwards. Fitzsimons Building, 4th ave., between Wood and Smithfield sts. COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE COMPANY, 227-229 Fourth ave.

SUITE of three rooms and reception hall on 7th floor of Fourth ave. office building at very reasonable rent until April 1, 1906. Address H 41, The Gazette.

FOR RENT—Office 18 feet square, light and heat, third floor, 723 Liberty ave., corner Eighth st.

Furnished Houses.

FURNISHED Allegheny house, one square to parks; 6 rooms, bath; a young couple or small reliable family from June till September; one room can be rented for $20 if desired. Address X 69, The Gazette.

FURNISHED HOUSE for summer; 6 rooms, bath, all conveniences; porch, large lawn, etc. Address T 74, The Gazette.

Atlantic City.

ELEGANT flat near beach, on Kentucky ave., with fine ocean view; fully furnished; all conveniences; eight rooms; very reasonable. [illegible] Pacific ave., Atlantic City.

FOR RENT.

Apartments.

FOR RENT.
At Greatly Reduced Rents.
LENNON APARTMENTS.
Nos. 223-227-231 Mathilda st.
(Bet. Penn and Liberty aves.)
three and four room
apartments, tiled
bathroom, both gases,
electric light. Hot
water supplied free.
Representative on the premises every day from 10 a. m. to 12 m., and 2 p. m. to 4 p. m.

FOR RENT.
WINDSOR APARTMENTS.
Ward and Olety sts., Oakland.
Attractive apartments, three rooms and bath, all modern conveniences, in desirable neighborhood. Rental $25 per month and upwards.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO.,
227-229 Fourth ave.

VERY CONVENIENT APARTMENTS.
In the "Lewis" and the "Marie," McDevitt place, near Forbes st. and Craft ave., only 10 minutes' ride from down-town; suites of 4 and 5 rooms in these modern apartment buildings; modern and complete, $25 to $31 a month; immediate possession.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

FINE APARTMENT—$35.
To Be Let—In the "LINDEN," Bates st. and McKee place, four rooms and bath on first floor. All conveniences.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

TO LET.
NOW $25.00, WAS $30.00.
Steam-heated four-room apartments
Good Part of East End.
Convenient to several different
car lines and steam cars.
S. H. LLOYD, 6024 Penn ave.

WINEBIDDLE APARTMENTS.
Finest apartment building in East End. Second floor, suite of 6 rooms and tiled bath, hardwood floors and finish, steam heat, hot water and janitor service furnished.
J. A. YOUNG & CO.,
Penn and Highland aves.

EDGEWOOD PARK. Walnut and Coal sts. TWO FINE APARTMENTS; steam heat, separate baths; five cent fare, furnished rooms for rent.

TO LET—Apartments of five rooms, bath and all conveniences; rent $17. 2816 Wylie avenue.

EAST END APARTMENTS.
The most convenient apartments in the East End; 5 rooms and bath, steam heat and janitor service furnished free; near station and street cars.
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Penn and Highland aves.

NEGLEY AND BROAD—Five rooms and bath, steam heat, hot water, furnished or unfurnished. 200 Negley. Tel. Highland, 1741-J.

APARTMENTS.
THE BRADBERRY APARTMENTS.
Finest in the city. A few left. See the agent.
A. D. WILSON,
221 Federal st., Allegheny.

Storerooms.

STOREROOM in fine location.
Oliver ave., near Wood street.
Apply D. B. SMITH,
Office of this paper.

STOREROOMS IN EAST LIBERTY.
One block from postoffice.
Between postoffice and station.
Rent reduced till next April.
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6002 Penn ave., E. E.

OAKLAND STOREROOMS.
Only $17 a month for good storeroom at 216 Bouquet st., Oakland, near Fifth ave. Immediate possession.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

Business Properties.

WOOD STREET STORE.
Four-story building 20x100 feet; has frontage also on Third ave. of 40 feet, elevator, etc., first-class condition; possession at once.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO.,
227-229 Fourth ave.

MANUFACTURING PLANT.
Three corrugated iron buildings with power and shafting; sizes 60x80, 30x70 and 20x30 feet; nice separate office with 2 rooms, desks, safe, etc.; corner of paved street; will rent as whole or part. OWNER, 300 Diamond Bank bldg.

FOR RENT—Shop in rear of 305 Grant st. Inquire across the street.

TO LET—Two floors, each 20x60; $60. 119 Market st.

Summer Residences.

FOR SALE.
PENN TOWNSHIP.
A SUMMER HOME.
Good frame house of 9 rooms, in first-class condition; 4 acres all planted in fruit, 9 miles from Pittsburgh; 3 miles from Wilkinsburg; 2 minutes from electric cars and railroad station; take Oakmont and Verona cars, get off at Mount ave.

INQUIRE OF L. L. MAY ON PREMISES,
or
S. ARNOLD & CO.,
434 Fourth ave.

Desk Room.

DESK ROOM IN BUILDERS EXCHANGE LEAGUE—All office conveniences, $10 to $12.50 per month. Just the place for contractors, builders and building supply agents. A few choice locations left. Call at 5th floor, Heeren building, Penn ave. and Eighth st.

DESK ROOM in prominent office building; rent, including stenographer, telephone and desk, from $10 to $35 per month. Room 407, Arrott bldg.

OFFICE, Room 21 Stevenson building, 17x18, three exceptionally large windows, washstand, electric lights and elevators. Dickinson, above address.

Flats.

ONE choice flat of 4 rooms and all modern conveniences, in The Bellevue Apartments, Howard ave., Bellevue. Apply at once. E. Hallett.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

FOR SALE.
On your own terms—
Before you buy
See Lincoln Park Homes.
Brick houses 4, 5, 6, 7 and 9 rooms.
All improvements. Paved and sewered streets. Take either Liberty, via Center ave., or Liberty and Lincoln ave. cars to end of line on Lincoln ave.
If you admire the beauties of nature you will be repaid for the trip, even if you don't buy.
D. BEHEN & SON, Removed to 4065 Penn ave.
Your car fare refunded if this ad is presented.

LORETTA ST., NEAR GREENFIELD AVE.
Six-room brick with tinted bath, cemented cellar, laundry, furnace, instantaneous hot water heater, gas and electric chandeliers, range, papered throughout, thoroughly modern. $200 cash, balance like rent. Interest on cost makes rent about $17.50 per month. Agent on ground to show you through today, or call on
EMIL STENGEL,
No. 422 Fourth ave., city.

FOR SALE.
Wylie ave., near Congress st. Lot 44 ft. front, with good buildings, bring in fair returns.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO.,
227-229 Fourth ave.

$6,000—WE HEARD indirectly you wish to purchase an investment or a home in Wilkinsburg; two solid brick houses, rent $60 per month; two car lines, station; fine residence district; terms.
ALLISON & STEVENSON,
562 Homewood ave., city.

FOR SALE—$1,300—Two-story brick building, 20x70 feet on lot same size to alley. Suitable for warehouse, stable, factory, or could be changed into a dwelling. Lot alone worth the money.
D. BEHEN & SON, Removed to 4065 Penn ave.
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IF YOU want to buy, sell or exchange a home or business property, or place a mortgage on real estate see or write us about it. Our best service is at your command.
H. A. LAPPE COMPANY,
407 Peoples Savings Bank building.

TEN-ROOMED HOUSE—Bellevue—All modern conveniences; paved street; one minute from street car line; lot 50x150; will sell cheap as owner is leaving city. Address R 69, The Gazette.

MAKE AN OFFER.
For Sale—Robinson st., Oakland, two fine new frame houses, large level lot, 50x165 to [illegible]; each house has 8 rooms and bath room, every convenience, cabinet mantels, tile hearths, porches, fine lawn, etc. Worth $6,500. See this property and make an offer. [illegible] Nash, 205 Dinwiddie st.

FOR SALE—4-room houses, [illegible] slate roof, porch, cellar; lot 40x120; price $1,700; $100 cash, balance $15 per month; take Millvale car, get off at Millvale Terrace, or see T. P. McGRUDY, 309 Fourth ave.

OAKMONT PROPERTY.
For fine building lots and pleasant homes address
T. B. M'ANLIS, Oakmont, Pa.
Bell phone 131.

Stenographer and Salesman Get Positions Through Gazette Want Ads.

Miss I. Shuster, Stenographer, 311 Jackson Street, with Sloan Typewriting Bureau, city; Geo. Brum, Salesman, 2105 Forbes Street, with Pioneer Light Co., Seventh Avenue, city.

Quick and Reliable Help Through Gazette Want Ads.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

WYLIE AVE. (near Logan street).

Two three-story brick business buildings; Brick Apartment Building, new; large lot 45x109 feet to Wilson st. Rents for $2,880 a year.

EIGHTEEN THOUSAND MORTGAGE.
Balance can be arranged to suit.
$750 A FRONT FOOT.

Worth a thousand dollars a front foot.
THIS IS—
A GOOD BUY.
A SAFE INVESTMENT.
A SURE MONEY MAKER.
Full information from
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646 FIFTH AVE., COR. TUNNEL ST.
MAKE MONEY FOR OTHERS.
WILL MAKE MONEY FOR YOU.

East End Residences.

FOR SALE.
Hard to duplicate at price.
New modern house, center hall,
Ten rooms (all large) handsomely finished.
Billiard room, large pantry and closets.
Latest improvements, good wide lot.
Location one of the most convenient (and at same time very choice) in Squirrel Hill district, near Schenley park and Carnegie library and museum.
Price only $18,000. Immediate possession.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO.,
327-329 Fourth ave.

NOT A CASTLE IN THE AIR
IN THE HIGHLAND DISTRICT,

But a good, substantial, solid brick center-hall house, built to live in; has 11 rooms, three bathrooms (two of them tile); first floor all hardwood; hall wainscoted; furnace, laundry, all modern improvements; nothing in all Greater Pittsburgh to compare with this for the money.

Price $11,750.

FREEHOLD REAL ESTATE CO.,
334 Fourth ave.

HOW'S THIS FOR A BARGAIN?

Thirteen new solid brick houses, 6 rooms, hall, bath, front porch; slate roof, yards fenced; paved street; ½ block from cars; nice clean residence section; always rented to high class tenants at $3,000 per annum; only asking $20,000; $7,000 cash; balance 3-year mortgage. Just figure it up, less than $1,538 50 a house. It's like giving them away; worth every cent of $26,000, but must be sold at once to close a partnership account.
JOHN K. EWING COMPANY, 248 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.
$18,000.
MURRAYHILL AVENUE
Residence containing 12 rooms, 3 baths and all modern conveniences.
Lot 60x160 feet. One of the choicest locations on Squirrel Hill. Belongs to an estate. A quick sale is desired.
See
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO.,
327-29 Fourth ave.

GEO. B. KELLY,
133 S. Highland. Bell 141 H. P. & A. 257 E.
WELLESLEY AVE. HOME.
Must Be Sold Quick.
Nine-room reception hall brick.
Bath, laundry, furnace, cemented cellar.
Slate tubs, instantaneous heater, nice lot.
Hardwood floors, new wall paper, etc.
PRICE FOR QUICK SALE ($7,500).

FOR SALE.
GREAT BARGAIN.
WINNEBIDDLE AVENUE—
Lot 120x300, shade and fruit trees; brick house 12 rooms, in perfect order; will sell for less than vacant lots can be purchased for. Inquire 756 Winebiddle ave.

FOR SALE—Only $1,500; four-room cottage, 215 Grapeville st.; Lincoln ave. car, Lemington ave.

C. T. MARSH, 7300 Church st., Swissvale, has for sale on easy terms several nice dwellings, $2,150 to $3,000; call.

Farms.

MT. LEBANON DISTRICT.

FOR SALE IN MT. LEBANON DISTRICT, ADJOINING PRESENT DEVELOPMENTS, FARM OF ABOUT 90 ACRES, ALL LEVEL LAND, COMMANDING A FINE VIEW OF THE SURROUNDING COUNTRY. FINE FRUIT TREES. EASY OF ACCESS, BEING NEAR PIKE AND PRESENT AND PROPOSED STREET CAR LINES. SUITABLE FOR SUB-DIVIDING INTO ONE AND TWO-ACRE LOTS FOR FINE COUNTRY HOMES. A RARE OPPORTUNITY TO OBTAIN A FINE FARM IN THIS DISTRICT AT A REASONABLE PRICE. ADDRESS
FARM,
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PITTSBURGH, PA.

OKLAHOMA HOME SEEKERS, Attention—Do you know that the best land in Oklahoma is in the southern part of Cleveland county? We raise more corn, cotton, as much wheat, oats, potatoes and better fruit than any county in Oklahoma; the rainfall is ample and crop failures are unknown; alfalfa is a good crop for bottom land and will make a fortune for the farmer who raises corn and hogs; improved farms can be bought for $10 to $40 per acre, according to quality of land, improvements and location; Indian lands getting on the market now; money for eastern people placed; get railroad ticket to Purcell, Indian Territory, Lexington, one mile from depot and in Oklahoma. For further information write Neal Smith, Lexington, Okla.

FARM FOR SALE.
I have a good farm of 125 acres; about 90 acres good oak timber; handy to city and right on railroad; will sell together or separate or will exchange for good clear city improved.
WM. M. CRAIG,
7634 Frankstown ave., East End.

ED. WITTISH, 434 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh, offers for sale and exchange farms of all descriptions. Particulars, call.

12-ACRE farm, house, barn, hennery, 15 miles from Pittsburgh. Possession; $3,500. Will exchange for city property.
JAMES W. TURNER, 302 Times Bldg.

FARMS—Send for illustrated catalogue of Ashtabula county farms. J. M. Seymour, Wilson blk., 167½ Main st., Ashtabula, Ohio.

GET list of PA. and OHIO farms.
R. H. NEILL, OAKMONT, PA.

FARM BUYERS—Get our new catalogue.
THE JAS. MURTHA CO., 303 Times Bldg.

Seashore Property.

SOMERS POINT.
$5 DOWN—$5 MONTHLY.

FORTUNES in real estate will be made by those who put their money now in the fastest-growing and best located resort on the Atlantic coast, Somers Point, N. J.; the ideal spot for a summer and winter home, with every natural advantage of climate, fine fishing, crabbing, gunning, sailing and bathing; high speed trolley service to ATLANTIC CITY; these lots are right in the heart of the builtup town; we have a limited number for $50 to $150, on easy terms; buy now, when you can get location and ground-floor prices; values will double in a year; call or write today for map and booklet.
THE JAS. MURTHA CO.,
303 Times Bldg., 336 Fourth ave.

Real Estate.—Special.

WE have $60,000.00 cash to invest in improved city property. Must be a bargain with good income.

Would prefer several moderate priced properties, either business or dwellings.
D. BEHEN & SON, Removed to 4063 Penn ave.
Your car fare refunded if this ad is presented.

Mortgage Loans.

MONEY TO LOAN IN LARGE OR SMALL SUMS; RATES FROM 4½ PER CENT UP. IF YOUR SECURITY IS AMPLE, WE WILL DO PROMPT CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS. THE CURRIER COMPANY, 248 FOURTH AVE.

MONEY ON REAL ESTATE. Mortgages wanted on improved real estate in city or suburbs.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 FOURTH AVE.

MORTGAGES FOR SALE. } In amount of $1,300 and upwards.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO.,
327-329 Fourth ave.

GOOD MORTGAGE WANTED.
Money Ready.
H. M. BLACKLEY,
512 Diamond Bank Building.

$3,000—WANTED for 5 years; will pay 7 per cent and give first mortgage on good property. Address E. C. H., R 73, The Gazette.

MONEY furnished for building operations.
THE J. M. LOOSE REALTY CO.,
424 Fourth ave.

GOOD $5,000 and $10,000 mortgages on city property wanted. WM. M. BELL, Times building.

BARRELS OF 4½% MONEY TO LOAN.
JOHN K. EWING CO., 248 Fourth ave.

$500,000 to loan, 4½ to 5 per cent; mortgages or collateral; private party. P. O. box 663.

READY money to loan on local six per cent mortgages. Central Trust Co., Pittsburgh.

LARGE fund to loan; first and second mortgages. Box 1695.

MONEY TO LOAN ON EASY TERMS. E. E. BLACK, 248 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.

Lots.

FORBES STREET FRONTAGE.
$40.00 Per Foot.

Nice level lot, corner East End ave. and Forbes st.; on car line.

ADDRESS OWNER.
Box 1139, City.

FOR SALE—$600 each. Close to Penn ave., in Nineteenth ward. Several fine lots 24x100 each.
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FOR SALE—$650—Two fine lots 20x100 feet each, 2 squares from New Morningside car line. This investment will double in value.
D. BEHEN & SON, Removed to 4063 Penn ave.
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FOR SALE—Mt. Lebanon acreage, one, two and three-acre pieces of land on the car line and near Mt. Lebanon school, from $1,500 to $3,000 per acre. Wm. L. Bond, Jr., 306 Fitzsimons bldg.

FOR SALE—Lot 300x280 in Shady ave.; good chance for a builder. See
CROSS & FORMCHELLA, 230 Larimer ave.

CHOICE lot 50x150 ft., cheap; Squirrel Hill. Address J 42, The Gazette.

Coal and Timber Lands.

10,000 ACRES timber and coal lands for sale. Cappeau, Lemley & Miller.

WILL sell lease in Butler county, near McBride gusher. Cappeau, Lemley & Miller.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—For well located lots, two 3-story brick business houses. Renting for $1,200 per year. Lot 40x122 feet—$16,000—$7,000 mortgage, 5 per cent.
D. BEHEN & SON, Removed to 4063 Penn ave.
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Business Opportunities.

JOHN HOWICK & CO.
No. 603 Times bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

ROAD HOUSE—Seven miles from Pittsburgh, Allegheny county; has 17 furnished rooms; stalls for 14 horses; fine driving shed and outbuildings; two acres of ground; rent for all, $50 per month; good lease and license only $125 a year; will guarantee a stock of $450; this place is clearing $3,000 a year, and on account of sickness of the proprietor will sell for $4,500.

SALOON—Located in East Liverpool; has 7 nice living rooms and doing a business of $250 a week; rent is $55 a month; this is a money-maker; price for quick sale, $2,300.

HALF interest in an old established printing company; downtown location; clearing $5,000 a year; will stand investigation; too much work for one man; will sell at invoice about $1,300.

ROOMING HOUSE—Located in Boyle st., Allegheny; has been established 11 years; has 10 completely furnished rooms; rent is only $40 per month; clearing over and above expenses $60 per month; this is a bargain; price $550.

GROCERY—Located on one of the principal streets coming from Knoxville; doing a strictly cash business of over $20,000 a year; this is a bargain and if sold before the first of June will sacrifice for invoice, about $1,500.

SMALL GROCERY AND CONFECTIONERY—Has good paper and milk trade and doing a business of about $75 a week; good location; has 6 nice living rooms; rent only $35 a month; price $550.

CONFECTIONERY STORE—Located in the East End; has three nice living rooms and cellar; rent only $23 a month; this is a bargain; price $350.

GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET—Located in Allegheny; doing a business of $350 to $400 a week, actual; has the finest of fixtures; rent is only $18 a month; on account of sickness will sacrifice for $1,000.
JOHN HOWICK CO.,
No. 603 Times bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

CONFECTIONERY, CIGAR AND TOBACCO STORE—Handling all periodicals; this is an excellent, bright, up-to-date confectionery store in an excellent location; rent only $25, with living rooms; doing a business of $75 to $85 a week and clearing $75 a month; owner leaving the city and must sell; price $550.
HOWICK-THOMPSON CO.,
616 Times Bldg., 336 Fourth ave.

SHOE STORE.
One of the best established businesses of this kind in Lawrenceville; stock in good condition; invoicing about $10,000; business netting at least $3,000 annually; will sell stock by invoice; fixtures by appraisement. This business will stand a most thorough investigation.
B. R. FAULKNER & COMPANY, INC'D.,
1107 Arrott Bldg., Fourth ave. and Wood st.

WANTED.

Manager and salesman in large department store, city; must be able to take stock in the company; only first-class man with experience need apply. Write, giving reference, etc., F 4, The Gazette.

SALOON—Without any exception has as fine fixtures as there are in Pittsburgh; located 45 miles from Pittsburgh on the Ohio river; good stock of liquors on hand and doing an average daily business of $35; right in the heart of a city of 26,000 population; owner is well off and will exchange for real estate; price $3,500.
HOWICK-THOMPSON CO.,
616 Times Bldg., 336 Fourth ave.

SALOON.
We have for sale a strictly first-class saloon; bar receipts averaging close to $100 per day; long term lease can be arranged at a reasonable rental; this place will stand further investigation; nothing but cash or its equivalent will be accepted in payment.
B. R. FAULKNER & COMPANY, INC'D.,
1107 Arrott Bldg., Fourth ave. and Wood st.

—BUSINESS CHANCES—
AT ALL TIMES there are some who want to buy, others who want to sell; it's our business to bring buyer and seller together; you will save time and money by going to an old, reliable agent. All transactions confidential.
B. R. FAULKNER & CO., INC'D.
ESTABLISHED 1833.
1107 Arrott Building, Fourth ave. and Wood st.

FIVE-ROOM dwelling and one-story blacksmith shop; well located in a good town of 3,500 inhabitants; 60 miles north of Pittsburgh; price $1,800.
W. J. HARSHAW & SON, AGENTS,
Grove City, Mercer county, Pa.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.
We can sell your business, no matter where located; for quick sale consult us at once.
W. F. WEITERSHAUSEN,
717 East Ohio st., Allegheny.

CIGAR AND CONFECTIONERY—Bargain; on fine Allegheny street; having 8 living rooms; rent only $18; fine fixtures, stock, etc. A sacrifice price, only $450.
THE JAS. MURTHA CO.,
303 Times Bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

$2,750,000 for investment in first mortgage bonds or other preferred securities in amounts of not less than $50,000 each investment. Applications received from principals and brokers with authority. Clarkeson, Brooks & Co., 15 Broad st., New York city.

HOTEL.
Located in East End on main thoroughfare; receipts average $70 per day; rent $150 per month; 17 rooms; price $8,500.
CHARLES W. TURNER,
415 Fourth ave.

GENERAL STORE doing over $30,000 yearly; paying splendidly; real estate, fixtures and stock $15,000; would take partner with $5,000 and best references. Address W. A. S. C. 76 The Gazette.

CIGAR, CONFECTIONERY AND NOTION STORE—In nearby town, doing business $140 week; price $1,300. CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

KANSAS VS. STANDARD OIL CO. We struck oil; need pipe line; shares 2, par value $1, non-assessable. Rocky Mountain Securities Co., Kansas City, Mo.

BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY—To wide-awake man with $5,000; must be sold owing to death of proprietor. Mary A. Konstanzer, 4024 Butler st.

YOU want money? Our customers get theirs dealing with us. Several excellent opportunities. Cappeau, Lemley & Miller, Ferguson Building.

GROCERY STORE—In country town 20 miles from Pittsburgh, doing business $25 day; rent $12 month; price $850. CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—HOTEL, centrally located in Pittsburgh; doing fine business; long lease; good reasons for selling; no agents. Address Box 422, Pittsburgh, Pa.

HOME office for mining, oil, industrial and bank stocks. Cappeau, Lemley and Miller, Ferguson Bldg.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business see CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

BARBER SHOP—For sale, cheap, two chairs; good location. 6337 Station st.

STORE—A fine confectionery store. 55 Washington ave., South Side.

FURNISHED rooming house, Isabella st., Allegheny. Inquire 18, E. Robinson.

FOR SALE.

Business Opportunities.

INCORPORATE YOUR BUSINESS
Limited Liability, Perpetual Existence.
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UNIVERSAL INCORPORATING CO.,
1107-1108-1109 Keystone Bldg.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.
Branch offices—Trenton, N. J., Wilmington, Del., and Washington, D. C.

SALOON—Located 60 miles from Pittsburgh; has a good stock of wines, liquors and cigars; first-class fixtures, one pool table, cash register and a bottling outfit; estab. 10 years; good lease for 5 years at a rental of $45 per month, with 6 living rooms; doing a business of $20 per day; must be sold on account of sickness; price $1,000.
HOWICK-THOMPSON CO.,
616 Times Bldg., 336 Fourth ave.

ROOMING AND BOARDING HOUSE—15 rooms and two bathrooms, centrally located in Allegheny; 3 minutes' walk to library; splendid opportunity for small investment; reasonable rent; good reason for selling. Address Z 71, The Gazette.

HOTEL AND BAR—One of the best locations in Allegheny county; present proprietor has made a fortune; is selling on account of bad health; has been established since 1893, always had license; 15 rooms and bar; house is finely furnished and fitted up with best that money can buy; fine bar fixtures; large stock of liquor; positively doing business of $60 per day at bar alone; must be seen to be appreciated. Price $14,000
S. V. THOMPSON COMPANY,
Third Floor, 300 Times Bldg., 336 Fourth ave.

12 PER CENT declares dividends, Medina Gold Mining Company, University Bldg., Syracuse, New York, has sent to its 544 shareholders its twenty-ninth dividend notice, for May, being at the rate of 12 per cent per annum. Write for full particulars and illustrated brochure.

Horses and Vehicles.

HORSES FOR EVERYBODY
AT AUCTION

June 6, 7, 8 and 9.

Grand Opening Sale of
The Asher Horse and Mule Co.
At Their New Quarters,
Formerly Riverside Stables, Allegheny.

THEY'RE OFF
For the High Dollar.

400 general purpose horses to be sold Tuesday, June 6th.

On Wednesday, June 7, we open our catalogue sale consisting of carriage horses, cobs, drivers, gaited saddlers, trotters and pacers, with and without records; ponies, etc.; nothing but "the cream" in this catalogue.

Absolutely the best collection of high-grade horses ever offered at auction.

The public is invited to inspect this stock Sunday and Monday prior to sale.

Competent attendants will show you, and represent each horse with full guarantee.

Electric light sale two nights, Wednesday and Thursday.
Ladies especially invited.
Band concert each evening.

The Asher Horse and Mule Co.
At Their New Quarters.
Formerly Riverside Stables, Allegheny.

KENTUCKY HORSES

Richly bred trotters, pacers and gaited saddle horses to be sold at auction, Thursday, May 25, coming by express—two carloads, 56 head to be sold at
WATTERSON & FITZSIMMONS SALE
406 to 412 Duquesne Way.
300 horses consigned.

300 HEAD AT AUCTION.
May 24, 25 and 26, 1905.
406-412 Duquesne Way.
WATTERSON & FITZSIMMONS.

MULES! MULES! MULES!—If you want good mules, fresh mules, 75 to 100 on hand, all sizes; new carload every Thursday. Penn ave. and Third st. PHILLIP STEINMILLER.

FOR SALE—Handsomely spotted family horse, city broken. 1033 Main st., Allegheny.

300 HEAD AT AUCTION.
May 24, 25 and 26, 1905
406-412 Duquesne Way.
WATTERSON & FITZSIMMONS.

WANTED—To buy ponies for pony track. Write or call on John E. Harris, Olympia park, McKeesport, Pa.

Machinery.

BARGAINS.
1 7½ H. P. Gas Engine.
1 2 H. P. Gas Engine, slightly used.
1 10 H. P. Steam engine (horizontal).
1 12 H. P. vertical steam boiler.
1 5 H. P. gasoline hoisting engine for sale or rent.
Excellent condition. Call and examine.
No reasonable offer refused.
TRANTER MANUFACTURING COMPANY,
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Come and see our 3½ H. P. Gas or Gasoline Engine, skidded, ready to run, $125.
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Headquarters for marine engines and gasoline yachts.
THE FAIRBANKS CO., 316-318 Second ave.

FOR SALE—Boiler, engine, shafting and four fans, all in good condition. Hotel Willard, 919 Federal st., Allegheny.

GAS ENGINES—New, second-hand; have us do your repairing. BRIGGS MACHINERY COMPANY, 318 Second ave.

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MACHINERY.
28" Blooming mill, engine and shear.
22" Vertical shear, with 8x12" engine.
12" Vertical shear, belt driven.
14" Alligator bar shear, belt driven.
12" Alligator bar shear, belt driven.
7" Alligator bar shear, belt driven.
No. 3 Long & Alstatter vertical shear.
14" Kent vertical shear, belt driven.
Also boilers, engines, pumps and electrical equipment.
WICKES BROTHERS,
45th st. and A. V. R. R.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.
PHONES—Bell, Fisk 243-543.
P. & A., 164 Lawrence.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers and large lot miscellaneous machinery, second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

Sewing Machines.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO SEWING MACHINE REPAIRING BY FIRST-CLASS WORKMAN; GENUINE NEEDLES; LOWEST PRICES; all work GUARANTEED.
CARTER'S SEWING MACHINE CO.,
131 SIXTH STREET, next Bijou.
Bell 'Phone 3340 J. Grant.

Musical Instruments.

$100 CERTIFICATE won in Ambuhl Brothers' word contest worth face value on purchase of piano at their store; value guaranteed; first offer accepted. Address M 42, The Gazette.

Safes.

SAFES at reduced prices; need room. FRAGER, 110 Market st.

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—A fresh Jersey cow, good milker; well suited for family use; can be seen on the premises No. 1440 Wightman st. Call or address W. Chess.

WE HAVE in stock 100 oak poles suitable for either clothes lines or tennis court purposes, which we offer at 40c each, at our Mt. Washington yard. JAS. RITCHIE & SON, Mt. Washington, Pittsburgh, Pa.

RIBBONS—The unrivaled Paragon Typewriter Ribbons and Paragon Carbon Papers are for sale by the
REMINGTON TYPEWRITER CO.,
301 Wood st., telephone Main 68.

FOR SALE—Large, fine display case in main hall of Pittsburgh exposition, located in main aisle, near music hall; best location. Address for further particulars, P. O. Box 1802, Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR SALE—Two ice boxes, one a butcher's box and the other a chef's box. At 223 Federal st., Allegheny.

REFRIGERATORS.
Largest assortment for all purposes; also special sizes built to order; estimates furnished. Bernard Gloekler Co., 1129 Penn ave.

BAR FIXTURES, billiard tables, etc.; easiest terms. DELP'S, Fourth and Liberty aves.

STEAM and coking coal lands for sale. Cappeau, Lemley & Miller.

PERSONALS.

PROF. N. D. EVANS has opened a modern, well-equipped bath house at 408½ Wood st., near Fourth ave. The establishment occupies entire second, third and fourth floors. Everything freshly renovated, clean and sanitary. Turkish, Russian and plain baths; experienced rubbers; finely furnished; private retiring rooms; barber shop attached; open day and night.

MEN that are losing their hair and are sure to become baldheaded can prevent it by calling at the Baldhead Remedy, 214 Federal st., Allegheny.

HIGHEST prices paid for gents' cast-off clothing. Kahn, 4105 Penn ave. Bell 'phone 430 L, Fisk.

YOUR orders for unlisted stocks solicited. Our clients make money. Cappeau, Lemley & Miller.

BEDS—MORT BLANC BUGS. DRUGGISTS. GET A BOTTLE AND TRY IT.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

CASH paid for cast-off garments. Write J. Weid, 1841 Webster ave., Pittsburgh.

ICE CREAM for sale at Doutlieb's, rear end of Rebecca st., Wilkinsburg.

NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Wednesday, May 31, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., by H. Clyde Byers, C. J. McKiveen and A. Byers, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called Byers Chocolate House, the character and object of which is the manufacture and sale of candies and confectionery and the doing and transacting of all other business incident thereto, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly, and supplements thereto. John B. Keenan, solicitor.

LOST.

LOST—A pendant; light bluish green stone surrounded by pearls; dropped either on Emily st., near Halket, Hays st., near Negley ave., or at the Pennsylvania College for Women, on the afternoon of May 22. A liberal reward will be paid if returned to the business office of The Gazette.

LOST—Lady's gold watch; has monogram on case, M. B. McN., and inside of back case "To My Wife, Xmas, 1886;" reward. J. D. McNeill, care Crescent Electric & Mfg. Co., 24th st., Pittsburgh, or 221 Clifton ave., Sharpsburg.

LOST—Boston terrier, white head and feet; mixed brown body; escaped from Kingan's infirmary on Liberty ave. Return to 330 Winebiddle ave.

SPECIAL.

UPHOLSTERY.
We do over parlor suits, couches and mattresses. Cabinet work to order.
NELSON, KEENAN & DOLLHOPF COMPANY,
Fifth ave. and Brady st. Both 'Phones.

DIVIDEND-paying local National bank stocks for sale. Cappeau, Lemley & Miller, Ferguson Building.

BUY the right securities and lose that blue feeling. We show you how. Cappeau, Lemley & Miller, Ferguson Bldg.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Margaret A. Lusk, late of Bellevue, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Daniel E. Nuttall, Executor, 212 North avenue, West Allegheny, Pa.

MEETINGS.

Reading Company,
General Office, Reading Terminal,
Philadelphia, May 23, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual election of stockholders of Reading Company to elect nine directors will take place in room No. 423, Reading Terminal, Twelfth and Market streets, in the city of Philadelphia, on Tuesday, June 6, 1905, at 12 o'clock noon. By order of the board of directors.
W. R. TAYLOR, Secretary.

DETECTIVE AGENCIES.

PERKINS' UNION DETECTIVE AGENCY, 331 Fourth ave.—Telephones (private exchange) 1683-1684 Court.

M'SWEENEY'S INTERSTATE DETECTIVE AGENCY, removed to 440 Sixth ave., Pittsburgh. All communications treated strictly confidential.

McCOY DETECTIVE AGENCY, Keystone Building, Pittsburgh. Bell 'phone 2348 Court.

PATENTS.

TRUXALL, seller and promoter of patents, 609 German National Bank Bldg., Pittsburgh.

H. C. EVERT & CO., Patent Attorneys, 303 Smithfield st., opposite postoffice.

DANCING ACADEMIES.

M'DOUGALL'S, Craig and Forbes, Pittsburgh; 27 Federal st., Allegheny. Ten lessons, $3. Six private, $5. Afternoon and evenings. Open all summer—electric fans.

FOUND.

UNLISTED stocks, bonds, investments. Cappeau, Lemley & Miller, Ferguson Bldg.

AUCTION SALE.

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Will be sold at auction, for account of whom it may concern, at No. 239 Fourth avenue (Hostetter Building).

Wednesday, May 24, at 3:30 p. m.

10 shares Colonial Trust Co. stock.
JOHN D. BAILEY, Auctioneer.

PROPOSALS.

Department of Printing and Binding,
Harrisburg, Pa., May 20, 1905.

SEALED PROPOSALS for furnishing paper and other supplies required for the execution of the public printing and binding of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In compliance with the provisions of the act of assembly, approved February 7, A. D. 1905, I hereby advertise for proposals for furnishing paper and other supplies required by the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, necessary in the execution of the public printing and binding thereof, for two years from the first day of July, next, at certain rates per centum below the maximum rates fixed in this advertisement. Proposals must be enclosed in envelopes, sealed and endorsed "proposals for furnishing paper and other supplies," and be delivered to me at my office in Harrisburg on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1905, being the fifth day of the month, at or before 12 o'clock m. of said day, accompanied by bond and evidence, as required by said act. Such proposals as shall have been received up to said hour will be opened, and the contract or contracts awarded to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders. The right is reserved to let the contracts in parts to different bidders if it should be to the best interests of the commonwealth.

Maximum prices for paper and other supplies to be bid for are hereby fixed as follows:

No. 1. Book paper extra No. 1, rag, sized and super calendered as per sample, any weights and sizes which may be required; all paper which does not absolutely conform to sample, or containing ground wood, will be rejected; price per pound....................8 cts.

No. 2. Extra No. 1 book M. F., as per sample, any size or weight that may be required; all paper not conforming to sample will be rejected; price per pound....................6 cts.

No. 3. M. F. book paper, as per sample, for bulletins; any size or weight that may be required; price per pound....................4 cts.

Extra high finish linen map paper, tub sized and loft dried; any size or weight which may be required; price per pound....20 cts.

Plate paper, sized or unsized, as per sample in quality; any size or weight; price per pound ....15 cts.

Double coated book, sized as per sample in quality; any size or weight; price per pound ....8 cts.

Bill paper, tub sized and loft dried, and to measure 17x28 inches, and weigh 24 pounds to the ream; price per pound........10 cts.

First-class ledger and No. 1 record papers, tub sized and loft dried as per sample in quality, any size and weight which may be required, maximum price as follows:

Demy, 16x21, 24 pounds	$7 00
Demy, 16x21, 28 pounds	8 50
Demy, 16x21 30 pounds	9 50
Medium, 18x23, 36 pounds	12 00
Medium, 18x23, 38 pounds	12 00
Medium, 18x23, 40 pounds	14 00
Royal, 19x24, 44 pounds	15 00
Super royal, 20x28, 54 pounds	20 00
Imperial, 23x31, 72 pounds	27 00

Caps and folios....................28 cents per pound.

Marcus Ward & Co.'s, or any American papers, equal or better than Ward's, any tint, weight or finish which may be required, price per pound ....50 cts.

Commercial safety paper, as per sample, any size or weight, price per pound..........50 cts.

Gummed folio, any color, price per ream..$6 00

Cover papers, as per sample in quality, any size, weight or color which may be required, price per pound....................7 cts.

Cover paper, as per sample, any tint, weight, size or finish which may be required; price per pound ....15 cts.

Bond, bank note, map, tracing and parchment papers, equal to samples and at maximum prices named in Crane & Co.'s price list for 1905. Special sizes which may be required to be at prices proportionate to the prices of sizes named in said price list:

Old Hamshire and coupon bond, any size, weight or color desired....................25 cts.

First-class prime parchment skins—

Price per roll of 60 skins, size 14x17..	$28 00
Price per roll of 60 skins, size 16x21..	30 00
Price per roll of 60 skins, size 17x22..	38 00
Price per roll of 60 skins, size 19x25..	42 00

Other sizes which may be required to be at prices proportionate to the prices named above.

Cards and card board, equal in quality and at maximum prices of A. M. Collins, Son & Co.'s latest price list.

Envelopes, government cut and sizes, from 20 pound, No. 1 rag, No. 6½, $1.20; No. 6¾, $1.30; No. 7, $1.55; No. 8, $2.00; No. 9, $2.10; No. 10, $2.35; No. 11, $2.65; No. 12, $3.25; No. 14, $3.60.

Envelopes from Marcus Ward & Co., or any American paper, equal or better than Ward's, any tint or weight, as follows: No. 6½, $8.50; No. 6¾, $9.50; No. 7, $10.00; No. 8, $12.50; No. 9, $13.50; No. 10, $14.50; No. 11, $16.00; No. 12, $18.50; No. 14, $21.00.

Crane's bond, any weight or tint, as follows: No. 6½, $6.00; No. 6¾, $6.25; No. 7, $6.50; No. 8, $8.25; No. 9, $8.75; No. 10, $10.00; No. 11, $11.75; No. 12, $12.00; No. 14, $14.00.

Envelopes, Marcus Ward & Co., or any American papers (paper and envelopes to match), equal or better than Ward's; any size, weight or quality; to be furnished in one-eighth thousand boxes if desired; prices, including paper and envelopes, $15.00 per M.

Manilla envelopes with clasp, No. 1 quality, 80 pounds per ream, 4½x10¼, $14.00; 5x12, $15.00; 7x10¼, $17.00.

Envelopes, linen lined, with or without clasp, any color, as follows: 4½x10¼, per 100, $7.00; 5½x12, per 100, $8.00; 7½x10¼, per 100, $8.00; 11x13 per 100, $10.00; 11½x14, per 100, $10.00.

The supplying of an inferior article, or a failure to supply the quantity required at any time will be considered a violation of the contract.

Bidders will state in their proposals the name of the manufacturers of the paper, etc., they propose furnishing.

No proposal will be considered unless submitted upon blanks furnished by the department of public printing and binding. Copies of the act of assembly and blank bonds must also be procured from the same department.

All paper, etc., furnished the commonwealth must be of the specified weight, exclusive of wrappers, twine, boxes, skeleton cases or roll paper cores, none of which will be paid for by this department.

All supplies of whatever character must be delivered free of freight and drayage charges at the state printing establishment in Harrisburg.

No greater amount, in any instance, will be received or paid for than that specifically stated in the order.

Specimen samples of paper and other supplies, as a standard of quality, can be seen at the department of printing and binding, and any paper or supplies not furnished as good as sample will be rejected.

Bidders for book paper, enameled book and plate paper will please submit stamples of paper they propose furnishing, with their names properly stamped or written thereon.

All book paper to be delivered either in frames, with not over two reams to the bundle, or in boxes.

The superintendent reserves the right to purchase in the open market paper for any publication when, in his judgment the interest of the state will be the better subserved by so doing.

A time limit for delivery of paper and other supplies will be placed on all orders, and, if the same are not furnished by the time specified, the superintendent will go into the open market and make such purchases and charge the difference to the contractor or contractors.

The superintendent of public printing and binding herewith reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A. NEVIN POMEROY,
Superintendent.

PROPOSALS for Stationery, Supplies, etc., for the several departments of the state government of Pennsylvania.
Office of the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings.
Commissioners.
Samuel W. Pennypacker, Governor.
W. P. Snyder, Attorney General.
W. L. Mathues, State Treasurer.
J. M. Shumaker, Superintendent.
Proposals for Furnishing Stationery, Fuel and other Supplies.

In compliance with the constitution and laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, we hereby invite sealed proposals, at prices below maximum rates fixed in schedules, to furnish stationery, fuel and other supplies for the several departments of the state government and for making repairs in the several departments and for the distribution of the public documents for the year ending the first Tuesday of June, A. D. 1906. Separate proposals will be received and separate contracts awarded as announced in said schedules. Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond, with at least two sureties or one surety company, approved by a judge of the court of common pleas of the county in which the person or persons making such proposals may reside, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract, and addressed and delivered to the board of commissioners of public grounds and buildings before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, the 6th day of June, A. D. 1905, at which time the proposals will be opened and published, in the reception room of the executive department at Harrisburg, and contracts awarded as soon thereafter as practicable. Blank bonds and schedules containing all necessary information can be obtained at this department.

J. M. SHUMAKER.
For the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings.

PROPOSALS.

Department of Printing and Binding,
Harrisburg, Pa., May 20, 1905.

Sealed proposals for furnishing cuts and plates required for the execution of the public printing and binding of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In compliance with the provisions of the act of assembly, approved February 7, A. D. 1905, I hereby advertise for proposals for furnishing cuts and plates required by the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, necessary in the execution of the public printing and binding thereof, for two years from the first day of July next, at certain rates per centum below the maximum rates fixed in this advertisement. Proposals must be enclosed in envelopes, sealed and indorsed "proposals furnishing cuts and plates," and be delivered to me on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1905, being the 5th day of the month at or before 3 o'clock P. M., of said day, accompanied by bond and evidence, as required by said act. Such proposals as shall have been received up to said hour will be opened, and the contract or contracts awarded to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders. The right is reserved to let the contracts in parts to different bidders if it should be to the best interests of the commonwealth.

Maximum prices for cuts and plates are hereby fixed as follows:

Half tones, copper, square finish with or without single black line around the plate exceeding 13 square inches, per square inch, 20 cts.

Minimum price for square finish half tone, copper, with or without single black line around plate, not exceeding 13 square inches $2 50

Half tone, copper, outlined, exceeding 14 square inches, per square inch....................25 cts.

Minimum price for outlined half tones, copper, not exceeding 14 square inches..........$3 00

Half tones, vignetted, copper, exceeding 13 square inches, per square inch..........30 cts.

Minimum price for vignetted half tones, copper, not exceeding 13 square inches.....$3 50

Half tones, zinc, per square inch, exceeding 13 square inches, per square inch..........15 cts.

Minimum price for zinc half tones, not exceeding 13 square inches....................$1 50

Half tones and line combination, per square inch ....40 cts.

Line plates, per square inch....................10 cts.

Line plates, minimum....................$1 00

Color work—three color process, half tone plates per square inch for three plates $1 50

Minimum price per set of three plates for three color process, per set..........$25 00

Electrotyping, per square inch..........4 cts.

Steel plate engraving, any design except vignettes, best hand work, per square inch..$3 00

Vignettes, best hand work, any design, per square inch $8 00

The superintendent of printing reserves the right to make contracts in the open market for any cuts or steel plate engraving when in his judgment the interest of the state will be the better subserved by so doing.

Copies of the act of assembly, blank bonds and forms can be had at this office and no bid will be accepted unless submitted upon such form and bond filed therewith.

Samples as to quality of work required can be seen at this office.

A time limit will be placed on each order for cuts or plates, and if the same are not furnished within the time specified the superintendent will order elsewhere and charge the difference in price to the contractor or contractors.

The superintendent of printing and binding reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A. NEVIN POMEROY,
Superintendent.

LEGAL NOTICES.

A. M. IMBRIE, Attorney-at-Law, 434 Diamond street, Pittsburgh, Pa. In the court of common pleas No. 1 of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania. In re application of the United Presbyterian Women's Association of North America for the amendment of charter, No. 905 June term, 1905. At the above number and term the United Presbyterian Women's Association of North America has made application to the court of common pleas No. 1 of Allegheny county for an amendment to section one of an amendment to its charter, which reads as follows: "The establishment and maintenance of a hospital to be known as the United Presbyterian Memorial Hospital for the medical and surgical treatment of sick and disabled women and children" is to be amended so that it will read as follows: "The establishment and maintenance of a hospital to be known as the Columbia hospital for the medical and surgical treatment and nursing of the sick and disabled, and conducting a school for the training of nurses," which amendment will be allowed, unless cause be shown to the contrary, on or before the 17th of June, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. A. M. Imbrie, Solicitor for the Corporation.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of James McQuiston, deceased, late of 305 Atlantic avenue, Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, and doing business as James McQuiston & Co., at the Pittsburgh galvanizing works, Twenty-sixth and Railroad streets, Pittsburgh, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. James R. MacFarlane and Walter Chess, executors, care of W. Wallace Patterson, 1222 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

W. R. ERRETT, Attorney-at-Law, Wood st. and Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mark McDaniel, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. The Safe Deposit and Trust Co. of Pittsburgh, Wood st. and Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., administrator.

W. R. ERRETT, Attorney-at-Law, Wood st. and Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Eugene W. Howard, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. The Safe Deposit and Trust Co. of Pittsburgh, Wood st. and Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., administrator.

S. M. MEYERS, Attorney-at-Law, 1109 Park building. In the court of common pleas No. 2 of Allegheny county. No. 162, July term, 1904. George Welsh vs. The Wilmerding Supply Company. Notice is hereby given that the first and final account of Jesse H. Cunningham, receiver of the Wilmerding Supply Company, Limited, was filed in the prothonotary's office on May 8, 1905, and that the same will be allowed by the court on Saturday, June the 3d, 1905, at 9:30 a. m., unless cause be shown to the contrary. Jesse H. Cunningham, receiver.

DUNN & MOORHEAD, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 122 Bakewell Law building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Herman Langhans, deceased, late of Avalon, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Real Estate Savings & Trust Co. of Allegheny, administrator, No. 322 Federal st., Allegheny, Pa.

H. M. IRONS, Attorney-at-Law, No. 620 Bakewell Law Building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of William Coltman, deceased, late of Sturgeon, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to made immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. George N. Boyd, administrator, Albion, Erie county, Pa.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania, on Thursday, 15th June, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., by J. K. Irwin, A. Mell, Porter and E. W. Edgerton, under the "corporation act of 1874 and its supplements," for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called "Anderson Hotel Company," the character and object of which will be the establishment and maintenance of a hotel, and for this purpose to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. W. A. Griffith, solicitor.

SAMUEL A. AMMON, Attorney-at-Law, No. 730 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Henry Schmalz, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Fredricka Schmalz administratrix, No. 344 Steuben st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

ROBERT T. REINEMAN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 315 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Leopoldine Weber, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Robert T. Reineman, 315 Frick bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa., executor.

JOHN A. EMERY, JR., Attorney-at-Law, 820 Frick Building.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Margaret Heer, deceased, late of Allegheny city, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Charles F. Heer, No. 1023 Beaver ave., Allegheny, Pa., executor.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

TO the heirs of Mrs. Eliza Pettigrew. Please take notice that in the court of common pleas No. 2 of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at No. 299 July term, 1904, a bill of complaint was filed on behalf of the city of Pittsburgh, plaintiff, against John Nicholson, Jr., George Nicholson, Mrs. Emma McLonely and Mrs. Ada Clark, defendants, asking that a decree be entered against said defendants declaring certain buildings or structures, the property of the defendants on Second avenue, in the said city of Pittsburgh, to be a public nuisance and requiring the defendants to put the said buildings or structures in safe condition, or to remove the same and in default thereof be decreed that the said city may remove the same; also praying for general relief.

On May 13, 1905, the said court made an order amending the record in the said case by adding the names of other persons as defendants including the heirs of Mrs. Eliza Pettigrew, and requiring said heirs of Mrs. Eliza Pettigrew to file an answer to the said bill of complaint in the above case within forty-five days from the first publication of this notice and to observe what said court shall direct. You are also hereby notified that in pursuance to said order, if you will fail to comply with the above directions by not entering an appearance in the prothonotary's office in said county within thirty days after the first publication of this notice and by not filing your answer within forty-five days you will be liable to have the bill taken "pro confesso" and a decree made against you in your absence.

Witness our hands and seals this 12th day of May, A. D. 1905.

W. B. RODGERS.
L. S. LEVIN,
Solicitors.

L. B. COOK, Attorney-at-Law, No. 422 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of George S. Wood, deceased, late of 77 Arlington avenue, Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Matilda G. Wood, No. 77 Arlington avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., administratrix.

L. S. LEVIN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 441 Grant street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of George Zeiger, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Charles Zeiger, No. 5722 Howe street, Pittsburgh, Pa., administrator.

FINANCIAL.

25 PER CENT dividends will be paid by local enterprise ready for subscription. Investigate. Cappeau, Lemley & Miller, Ferguson Bldg.

INVESTMENTS.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Department of Public Works,
City of Allegheny, Pa., May 22, 1905.

SEALED PROPOSALS—Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the city controller until 2 o'clock p. m., Monday, June 5, 1905, for the purchase of one (1) three-ton steam asphalt roller.

Specifications can be seen and all information obtained at the office of the superintendent of the bureau of highways and sewers.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond with two sureties, probated before the city controller, or a bond of a surety trust company which has complied with the ordinance of councils for furnishing bonds for city contracts, bonds to be in the sum of one-half the estimated cost of said work.

The mayor and the director of the department of public works reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Proposals will be opened publicly in the office of the mayor at 2:30 o'clock p. m., Monday, June 5, 1905.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.
EDWARD G. M'ILVAIN,
Director Department of Public Works.

Department of Public Works,
City of Allegheny, Pa., May 22, 1905.
NOTICE TO DEALERS IN SCRAP IRON.

SEALED PROPOSALS—Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the city controller until 2 o'clock p. m., June 5, 1905, for the purchase of all scrap material in this department, consisting of the following:

Wrought and cast iron, old brass, copper, wire and gum.

All information can be obtained at this office.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond for $500.00 with two sureties, probated before the city controller, or the bond of a surety trust company, which has complied with the ordinance of councils for the furnishing of bonds for city contracts.

The mayor and the director of the department of public works reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Proposals will be opened publicly in the office of the mayor at 2:30 o'clock p. m., on Monday, June 5, 1905.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.
EDWARD G. M'ILVAIN,
Director Department of Public Works.

STOCK MARKET RALLIED, THEN SOLD OFF AGAIN

U. S. Steel Led the Decline in the Final Dealings. Westinghouse Electric Well Supported and Closed Higher.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market yesterday was decidedly irregular and considerably less active, the sales for the day falling below 1,000,000 shares. During the early part of the session there was a slow recovery following a strong opening, but in the final hour the market reacted under the leadership of United States Steel, and the close was near the lowest of the day. The net changes, however, were in nearly every instance smaller than for several days past.

At the opening of the market formal announcement was made of the closing of the Merchants Trust Company of New York, a comparatively small institution, by order of the state banking department. Inasmuch as the weakness late Monday afternoon was based largely upon rumors of trouble in a financial institution, the traders jumped to the conclusion that the announcement of the suspension meant the removal of one cause for the liquidation, and they turned buyers. This stimulated some covering of shorts, and before noon much of Monday's loss had been regained. London quotations presented little change, and the dealings for foreign account were comparatively insignificant.

In the latter part of the afternoon weakness appeared in United States Steel, which carried the common down to 25 and the preferred to 91¼, the latter representing a decline of 2 per cent from the high point of the morning. Both issues closed ¼ lower than on Monday, and the minor iron and steel stocks closed ⅛ to ⅝ per cent lower. Pressed Steel Car was an exception, closing at a net gain of ¾ per cent.

The principal activity in the remainder of the industrial list was in Amalgamated Copper and American Smelting. The latter was strong, advancing to 110¾, and while it later sold off to 107½, the final sale at 109 represented a net advance of 2 per cent. A dispatch from Omaha stated that E. W. Nash, president of the company, had been stricken with paralysis and was in a critical condition, but this news had no effect upon the market for the stock. Amalgamated Copper opened at 76½, declined to 76, recovered to 77⅜, again declined to the low point of the morning and closed at 76½, a net advance of ¼ per cent. National Lead, United States Rubber and American Woolen were fairly active and strong early in the day, but sold off with the rest of the list at the close.

Union Pacific is still regarded as the pivotal stock in the railroad list, and much interest was therefore manifested in its fluctuations. The stock opened at 115¾, rallied 2 per cent, and then lost all the gain, closing at a net loss of ⅛ per cent. Northern Pacific made a strong rally, touching 179½, as compared with 175, the final sale on Monday, but closed at 176, a gain of 1 per cent. St. Paul closed ⅝ and Northwest 1 per cent higher. The stocks of railroads traversing the industrial section were steady to firm all day and closed slightly higher for Pennsylvania, Baltimore & Ohio and Reading. Norfolk & Western closed unchanged.

The money market remained easy, call loans ranging between 2 and 2½ per cent, the final loan being at 2¼ per cent. Sterling exchange was firm and slightly higher.

Grain markets were less active and excited than on Monday, although prices closed higher. The weekly crop bulletin issued by the weather bureau reported more favorable weather for wheat, but corn planting is still delayed. Bradstreet's reported a decrease in the world's visible supply of wheat of 2,123,000 bushels.

More than half the dealings on the Pittsburgh stock exchange consisted of Westinghouse Electric. The stock opened strong and higher at 80, but on moderate offerings sold off to 78⅛. Later in the day one prominent house apparently had a buying order for an unlimited amount at 79½, and the market closed firm at that price bid, after 3,200 shares had changed hands. Owing to the character of the buying the impression prevailed on the exchange that the stock was being supported by inside interests. There were no transactions in Westinghouse Air Brake, the stock being nominally quoted at 141½ bid. Pittsburgh Coal was extremely dull, only 20 shares of the common changing hands at 17, and 110 shares of the preferred at 76 to 76½, the latter closing at 76¼ bid. The steel stocks were dull but firmer, and closed fractionally higher. Manufacturers Light and Heat rallied to 35¾, but closed at 35 bid. There were no sales of any of the Brewing stocks, but Independent Brewing 6s sold at 107⅝, a slight advance. An initial public sale of $6,000 Manufacturers Light and Heat 6s was recorded at 96. Colonial Trust continued to be absorbed at 380. Iron City Trust sold at 128 and closed offered at that price, a decline of 2 per cent from the last previous sale.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

15 R. Coal com.	10	25 F. Proof pfd.	34
50 do.	10	15 Ton'p'h Ext.	5.00
10 Colonial Tr.	380	100 do.	5.00
20 Sewer Pipe	36½	50 Electric 2nds.	80
35 do.	36¼	100 do.	80
5 do.	36½	40 do.	80
10 M. L. & H.	35¼	10 do.	80
5 F. Proof pfd.	33⅞	50 do.	80

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

10 Electric 2ds.	80	20 Ohio Ton'p'h.	.35
15 do.	80	50 Crucible pfd.	60¾
25 do.	79⅝	50 do.	61
25 do.	79⅝	50 do.	61
100 do.	79	10 U.S. Stl. com.	25¾
5 F. Proof pfd.	34	10 do.	25½
65 Ohio Ton'p'h.	.35		

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

300 Electric 2ds.	79¼	$5000 M. L. & H. 6s (1914)	*96
10 do.	79½	1-15 M. W. warr.	40
15 do.	79¼	10-15 do.	40
25 do.	79½	100 U.S. Stl. com.	25¾
50 do.	79¾	10 F. Proof pfd.	34
35 do.	79⅝	20 do.	34
15 do.	79⅝	50 Crucible pfd.	61
50 R. Coal com.	10	1 do.	61¼
25 Crucible com.	10¼	50 do.	61
20 Colonial Tr.	380	1000 Ohio To'p'h.	.34
20 do.	380	100 P. Coal pfd.	76½
10 Iron City Tr.	128		
$2000 I. Brw. 6s.	107⅝		

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

5 U.S. Stl. pfd.	93¾	90 Crucible com.	10
20 U.S. Stl. com.	26½	50 Electric 2nds.	78½
15 M. L. & H.	35¾	50 do.	79
$1000 M. L. & H. 6s (1914)	*96	2 C. D. & P. T.	138
10 Colonial Tr.	380	100 Ohio Ton'p'h.	.34
20 P. Oil & Gas	60	100 F. Proof pfd.	34
15 do.	60	20 do.	34
50 Crucible com.	10	5 do.	34
15 do.	10	5 Luster	17
10 do.	10	10 do.	17
10 do.	10	15 do.	17
25 do.	10	50 Sewer Pipe	37

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

400 Electric 2ds.	79¼	500 Electric 2nds.	79½
50 do.	79½	18 C. D. & P. T.	138
50 do.	79¼	100 Luster	17
15 do.	79½	75 F. Proof pfd.	34
35 do.	79½	25 do.	34
500 do.	79½	25 Sewer Pipe	37
100 do.	79½	10 U. S. Stl. pfd.	92

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

$1000 I. Brw. 6s.	107⅝	50 Electric 2nds.	79½
15 Electric 2ds.	79⅝	100 do.	79½
50 do.	79⅝	100 do.	79½
3 do.	79	10 P. Coal com.	17
100 do.	79¾	10 do.	17
50 do.	79½	10 P. Coal pfd.	76
100 do.	79½	100 U.S. Stl. com.	25½

*And interest.

Summary.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ge.
20	C. D. & P. T.	138	138	138	+2
225	Crucible Steel	10¼	10	10	0
251	Do pfd.	*61¼	60¾	61	+⅛
290	Fire Proof. pfd.	34	*33⅞	34	0
130	Luster	17	17	17	+½
25	M. L. & H.	35¾	35¼	35¾	+¾
1185	Ohio Tonopah	.35	.34	.34	+.1
20	Pgh. Coal	17	17	17	0
110	Do pfd.	76½	76	76	+½
35	Pgh. Oil & Gas	60	60	60	0
115	River Coal com.	10	10	10	0
135	Sewer Pipe	37	36¼	37	+⅛
115	Tonopah Ext.	5.00	5.00	5.00	0
240	U. S. Steel	26½	25½	25½	+½
15	Do pfd.	93¾	92	92	+1
3203	West. Elec. 2ds	80	78½	79½	+1½
	BANKS, ETC.				
60	Colonial Trust	380	380	380	0
10	Iron City Trust	128	128	128	—2
6184					
	BONDS.				
$3000	Ind. Brew. 6s.	107⅝	107⅝	107⅝	+⅛
6000	M.L.&H.w.ct.6	†96	†96	†96	....
$9000					
	WARRANTS.				
11-15	Mon. Water	40	40	40	+1

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks—			
Arsenal Bank	$ 50	140	155
Colonial Trust	100	....	385
Commonwealth Trust	100	190	....
Equitable Trust	100	185	....
Federal National	100	....	202½
First National, Pittsburgh	100	....	595
Fifth Avenue Bank	50	78	....
Fort Pitt National	100	....	250
Guarantee Title & Trust	100	....	190
Iron City Trust	100	....	128
Keystone National	100	360	380
Marine National	100	....	155
Real Estate Trust	100	236	242
Safe Deposit & Trust	100	402	420
Traders & Mechanics	50	70	....
West End Savings	50	150	....
Allegheny Banks—			
Allegheny Trust, Allegheny	100	....	145
Workingmans Savings	50	....	400
Miscellaneous—			
American Sewer Pipe	100	36⅞	....
Crucible Steel	100	9⅞	....
Do preferred	100	61	62
Harbison-Walker Co. pfd.	100	....	70
Luster Mining	10	16¾	17½
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	35	....
Marsden	100	3⅝	4
Monongahela Incline Plane	50	62	....
Monongahela River Coal	50	10	....
Do preferred	50	25⅝	....
Monongahela Water	25	39	40
National Fire Proofing	50	9⅝	10
Do preferred	50	33⅞	....
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	30	....
Philadelphia Company	50	41¾	....
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	26⅛	26½
Do preferred	50	46½	....
Pittsburgh Coal	100	17	18
Do preferred	100	76¼	....
Tonopah Extension Mining	1	5.00	5.05
Ohio Tonopah	100	.34	.35
United States Steel	100	25	....
Do preferred	100	....	92
Westinghouse Electric	50	79½	....
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	141½	....
Mt. Oliver Incline	50	....	50
Independent Brewing pfd.	50	39½	40¼
BONDS.			
Monongahela L. & P. 5s	....	103	....
Monongahela River Coal 6s	....	....	112¼
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	....	113¼	....

The Bond Market.

NEW YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—District of Columbia 3s, 65s, 118¼ bid; Philadelphia 4s, 108 bid. Price ranges were as follows:

	High.	Low.	Last Sale.
Impt. Japan. ster. loan 6s.	98¼	98⅛	98¼
Do 2d series 6s ctfs.	95¾	95½	95½
Do ster. loan 4½s ctfs.	86⅞	86⅝	86⅝
Cuba 5s	105½	105	105⅛
American Tobacco 6s	112	111¾	112
Do 4s	73¼	72	72⅝
Atchison gen. 4s	103	102½	102¾
Do warrants 1st pfd.	101½	100	100
B. & O. p. l. 3½s	96	95⅞	95⅞
Do gold 4s	104¾	104⅛	104⅝
B. & O. S'w. div. 3½s	92⅝	92⅛	92⅝
B. R. T. con. 4s	87	86⅛	86½
Cent. of Georgia 2d inc.	78	77	78
C. B. & Q. joint 4s	101½	101⅛	101¼
C. R. I. & P. col. 5s	91⅜	90⅜	91
Do col. 4s	79⅝	79⅛	79⅛
Col. Indust. con. 5s ser. A	70	68	68
Do con. 5s, ser. B	68	67	67¼
Distillers 5s	79½	78⅛	78
I. & G. N. 3d 4s	80	79	80
Mexican Cent. 1st inc.	20	19	20
Southern Ry. 1st con. 5s	119⅝	119¼	119¼
Und. Elec. of London 5s	100	99½	99½
Union Pacific 1st 4s	106⅞	106½	106½
Do con. 4s	117½	115	115
U. S. Steel s. f. 5s	93¼	92⅝	92½
Wabash deb. B	73	71½	73
Wabash-Pgh. Term. 1st 4s	94⅝	94	94⅝
Do 2d 4s	35	35	35

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

More than half the sales on the stock exchange were of Westinghouse Electric.

The stock opened strong at 80, sold off to 78½ and closed at 79½.

Pittsburgh Coal inactive at 17 for the common and 76 for the preferred.

Steel stocks were dull, but closed fractionally higher.

Initial sale of Light & Heat bonds at 96.

IN WALL STREET.

Stock market less active and prices were very irregular.

After a strong rally, liquidation was resumed and the market closed near the lowest.

United States Steel common and preferred each closed ¼ per cent lower.

Northern Pacific led the recovery in the railroad list, which averaged higher.

Sales included 1,038,800 shares stock and $3,990,000 bonds.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The recovery which took place in the New York stock market early in yesterday's session was largely due to the covering of shorts. When this movement had been completed, and prices slowly reacted, there was a very noticeable falling off in the demand and trading again became quiet. It is almost invariably true that apprehension has a greater effect in depressing values than the actual development of unfavorable news. Therefore, when the announcement was made just after the opening of the suspension of the Merchants' Trust Company of New York, there was a rally. It is frankly admitted that the New York banking situation is entirely sound, and that this suspension is not only insignificant, but it is not symptomatic of general financial conditions. This fact must have been known to the larger financial interests, and yet on Monday these interests did not display any disposition to support stocks, and merely bought on concessions. This may be taken as an indication that the large financial interests are indifferent to the course of values for the present at least.

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The day was unusually free from rumor of any influential character. Foreign markets were stagnant, and the dealings on the stock exchange were largely of a professional character. Still, there is always a buyer for every seller, and while much of the buying yesterday is credited to covering shorts which were put out at higher prices, it is probably true that there was some investment buying of the better class of stocks. Trade is not booming, but it is good, and the outlook is very bright for the crops. Railroad earnings are also well maintained, indicating that the distribution of merchandise is large.

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The difficulties of the Merchants' Trust Company have been generally understood for some time, and their origin in old-standing conditions deprived the incident of any power for violent effect. There is, however, sufficient room for the drawing of analogies, and the recent expansion of the activities of trust companies into new fields and the large additions to their number have received active discussion in Wall street. The ease of money was unaltered, but sterling exchange continued to advance.

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On the local board United States Steel common rallied to 26½, but later sold off, following the course of the market in New York. At the close Carothers & Co. bid 25 for 300 shares, and there were no offerings at any price. The preferred closed offered at 92.

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Morris, Brown & Co. were the largest buyers of Westinghouse Electric, taking all the stock offered at 79½ at the close, and bidding that price for more. Masten & Co. and Sproul & Co. were the largest sellers. Pittsburgh led New York all day on this stock, and closed higher than the eastern market.

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In local stock market circles the opinion was expressed that New York was selling Westinghouse Electric, and that insiders were supporting the stock. It is understood that there is a provision in one of the notes negotiated by the company that the market value of the collateral securing the same must be kept at the equivalent of $80 a share, and it is possible that some of the buying was with this object in view. At the close of the market the demand was in excess of the offerings and the tone firm.

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There was but one transaction in Pittsburgh Coal common on the New York board yesterday, the stock selling at 15, a drop of 2 per cent. It closed at 16 bid, 18 asked. Here the stock sold at and closed 17 bid.

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Pittsburgh Brewing common was in moderate demand at 26¼ bid, and was offered at 26½. The preferred was quoted at 46½ bid.

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Independent Brewing common was not quoted, while the preferred closed at 39½ bid, 40¼ asked. There were no transactions in any of these issues. Independent Brewing bonds sold at 107⅝, a slight advance.

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Central District and Printing Telegraph sold at 138, an advance of 2 per cent over the last previous sale, and closed at 137¾ bid.

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Crucible Steel preferred rallied to and closed at 61 bid, and at the close there was no stock offering under 62. The common sold at 10 to 10¼, and closed at 9⅞ bid, without offerings.

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There were no sales of National Fire Proofing common, and the stock closed nominal at 9⅝ bid, 10 asked. The preferred sold at 34 and closed at 33⅞ bid. American Sewer Pipe was also without sale, closing at 36⅞ bid.

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Luster Mining gained another fraction, selling at 17, the highest on this movement. Ohio Tonopah sold at 34 and 35 cents, and at the close Masten & Co. offered 5,000 shares at 35 cents. Tonopah Extension closed unchanged at $5.

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Wall street heard that the earnings of the United States Steel Corporation for six weeks of the current quarter approximated $15,000,000, and it is estimated that the total for the three months will reach $30,000,000. It was something of a disappointment that the Steel stocks led the reaction which occurred at the close of the market.

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London's transactions in American securities were estimated at only 15,000 shares, and price fluctuations were so narrow as to make arbitrage transactions difficult and unprofitable. There was a noticeable dearth of news or rumor from the foreign markets.

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While the crop bulletin covering conditions in the United States for the past week was more or less favorable, the news of the foreign crop situation was less favorable, particularly in France and Russia. Chicago commission houses were advising purchases of wheat on any slight reaction, but were pointing out that the sharp advance in corn was stimulating receipts at primary points, and these receipts were grading high, which was a factor against any further considerable advance.

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The final payment of the Japanese loan will be made on the 25th, and the question of the amount of the remittance to London is a matter which may more or less affect the money market before the week is out. Bankers are reticent as to the amount which will be sent abroad, which presumably will depend on the necessities of the money market. It would seem that the balances could be more advantageously used abroad than here.

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The report of Chief Mine Inspector Paul of West Virginia shows the distribution of the coal produced in that state during the last fiscal year as follows: Shipped from the mines, 22,922,874 tons; sold to local trade, 400,858 tons; used in making coke, 3,333,561 tons; used in operating mines, 327,422 tons; total, 26,984,715 tons.

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The Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent on its preferred stock, and the regular semi-annual dividend of 3½ per cent on its common stock, both payable July 1.

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The United States Leather Company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on its preferred stock, payable July 1 to stock of record June 15.

Electric Stocks at Boston.

Westingh'se com.	75	*Mass. Electric	16
Edison Elec. Ill.	245	Do preferred	58
General Electric	168¾		

*Bid.

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade:

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close Bid
5700	A., T. & S. F.	78	78⅛	77¼	77⅝
900	Do preferred	101½	101½	101⅛	101⅛
500	Amer. Cotton Oil	30⅝	30⅝	30½	30
	Do preferred	....	....	....	92
2400	Am. Sugar Ref'g.	139⅜	139⅞	139⅛	139⅜
	Do preferred	133	133	133	133
12900	Am. Locomotive	45	46⅜	44⅝	45⅝
500	Do preferred	108½	108½	108¼	108
3200	Am. Car Foundry	31½	32⅜	31⅛	31⅝
300	Do preferred	96	96	95	95
61000	Amal. Copper	76½	77⅜	76	76⅝
800	Anaconda Copper	103	103	102½	102½
66100	Am. Smlt. & Ref.	108	110⅜	107⅛	108⅝
900	Do preferred	117	118	116⅞	117
8500	Baltimore & Ohio	106⅝	107½	106	106⅝
300	Do preferred	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	96
17400	Brk. Rap. Trans.	59	59⅝	56⅝	57⅜
7600	Canadian Pacific	142⅛	143⅜	141¼	141½
5800	Chicago & G. W.	18	18½	17⅞	18
1000	Consolidated Gas	186	188	186	186
400	C., C. C. & St. L.	95	95	93½	93½
2200	Ches. & Ohio	46	46½	45	45⅝
500	Chicago & Alton	31	32	31	32
700	Do preferred	....	....	....	73
2600	Chicago & N. W.	205	206	205	205⅛
9000	Col. Fuel & Iron	39½	40	38½	38⅞
700	Corn Product	11½	11⅝	11⅛	11⅛
	Do preferred	....	....	....	56½
900	Colo. Southern	25¾	26	25¼	25⅝
200	Do 1st pfd.	53	53	52	52
100	Do 2nd pfd.	32⅜	32½	32⅜	32⅛
1200	Dela. & Hudson	179¾	181	179	179⅝
18100	Erie	37⅝	38⅛	37⅛	37⅜
4400	Do 1st pfd.	75⅝	76	73⅞	75⅛
400	Do 2nd pfd.	62	62½	62	62
1000	General Electric	170	170½	169	169
	Hocking Valley	....	....	....	87
400	Do preferred	92	92⅛	92	92
1400	Illinois Central	156⅝	157½	156⅝	156⅝
1400	Inter. Paper	19	19	18⅞	18⅞
200	Do preferred	78½	78⅝	78⅛	78⅛
6500	Louis. & Nash	140⅜	142	140⅜	140⅞
500	Manhattan	162	162½	162	161⅞
4100	Missouri Pacific	94⅛	96	94⅝	95
1100	M., K. & T.	24⅝	24⅝	24	24
1900	Do preferred	56½	57	56¼	57
2800	Metropolitan	115½	116	114⅞	114⅞
2300	Do Securities	76½	76⅝	75⅛	75⅛
4200	Mexican Central	18⅛	19⅜	18⅝	18⅛
2600	National Lead	42	44⅛	43	42
	National Biscuit	59	60	59⅛	60
	N. Y. Airbrake	142	142⅝	142	142⅝
10100	N. Y. Central	137	138⅛	136⅜	137⅛
	N. J. Central	190	190	190	190
6000	N. Y., O. & W.	44⅝	45½	44⅝	44⅞
1900	Norfolk & West	76⅝	77¼	76	76⅝
1000	North Amer. Co.	98	99	97⅝	98⅛
7400	Peoples Gas	99¼	100⅛	99	99⅛
900	Pacific Mail	35	35	34	34½
2200	Pressed Steel Car	34	36	34	35⅛
100	Do preferred	91	91	91	90½
3800	Penna. R. R.	131⅛	132⅛	131⅛	131⅛
100	P. C. C. & St. L.	70	70	70	70
	Railway Springs	31	31½	30	30⅛
	Do preferred	95½	95⅛	95½	95
74500	Reading	87⅛	88⅛	87⅛	87⅛
1500	Do 1st pfd.	90	90	90	89½
	Do 2d pfd.	....	....	....	84
12700	Rock Island	25¼	26⅛	25⅛	25⅞
300	Do preferred	72⅛	72⅛	72	71⅛
600	Republic Iron	16	16⅛	16	16
1600	Do preferred	69⅛	70⅛	69⅛	69⅛
15000	Southern Pacific	59	60	58⅝	58⅞
4900	Southern Ry.	28⅛	28⅛	28	28
1000	Do preferred	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
56500	St. Paul	170½	172	169⅝	170⅛
	Do preferred	....	....	....	181½
1400	St. L. & S'w	20	20⅛	20	20⅛
300	Do preferred	58½	58⅛	58⅛	58
6400	Tenn. C. & I.	74	76	73	73⅛
3400	Texas & Pacific	30⅛	31⅛	30⅛	31
1200	T. St. L. & W.	34⅝	35⅛	34⅝	35⅛
400	Do preferred	54	54⅛	54	[illegible]
111000	U. S. Steel	25⅛	26⅝	25	25⅛
102400	Do preferred	91⅛	93⅛	91⅛	91⅛
	Do 2d 5% bonds	92⅝	93⅛	92⅛	92⅞
132800	Union Pacific	115⅝	117⅝	115⅛	115⅞
100	Do preferred	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
1200	U. S. Rubber	36⅛	37⅛	35⅛	36
1500	Do preferred	104⅛	105⅛	104⅛	104⅛
100	U. S. Leather	....	....	....	11⅛
	Do preferred	....	....	....	105
	U. S. C. I. Pipe	28⅝	29⅛	27⅛	27⅛
	Do preferred	90	90	90	89
400	U. S. Realty	85⅛	85⅛	85⅛	85⅛
1200	Wabash	17⅝	18	17⅛	18
1800	Do preferred	37⅛	37⅝	37⅛	37
5700	Western Union	92⅛	92⅛	92	92
200	W. & L. E.	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
	Do 1st pfd.	37	37	36⅝	36⅝
	Do 2d pfd.	....	....	....	19
200	Wisconsin Cent.	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	21
100	Do preferred	....	....	....	42
900	W. Elec 2d pfd.	159	159	157⅝	158
11200	Northern Pacific	175	179⅛	175	176
200	M.St.P. & S.St.M.	112	112	112	112
100	Do preferred	153⅛	153⅛	153⅛	153⅛
	Am. Woolen Co.	30	31⅛	29⅛	....
	Do preferred	102⅛	102⅛	102	....

INACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close Bid
1000	Am. Steel Fdries	....	12⅛	11⅛	11½
1500	Do preferred	....	52	50⅛	51
100	Am. Agl. Chem.	....	23	22	22
200	Allis Chalmers	....	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
1800	A. Hide & L. pfd	....	41⅛	40	40
700	Am. Malt pfd.	....	22	21	21

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close Bid
100	American Snuff	....	185	185	184½
200	Am. Linseed	....	17½	17	16⅝
2300	Atl. Coast Line	....	148	144⅝	147⅛
600	Chi., Union Trac.	....	6⅝	6⅛	6
300	Chi. Ter. Tr. pfd.	....	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
200	D. & R. G.	....	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛
400	Do preferred	....	84	84	84
100	Detroit United	....	80⅛	80⅛	80⅛
	D. S. S. & A.	....	12⅛	11⅛	12
	Do preferred	....	22⅛	22⅛	22
100	Internat. Pump	....	29	29	28⅛
400	Do preferred	....	78⅛	78⅛	78⅛
1100	Kan. City & So.	....	24	[illegible]	24
800	Do preferred	....	56	56	57⅛
300	K.C.Ft.S.& M.pf.	....	82⅛	82	80⅛
300	Knick'bocker Ice	....	12	11	11⅛
100	M.St.P. & S.S.M.	....	112	112	111⅛
100	Do preferred	....	157⅛	155⅛	153⅛
300	N. Ry. of M. pfd.	....	34⅛	34⅛	34⅛
400	N. Y. Airbrake	....	142⅛	142	142⅛
100	Pittsburgh Coal	....	15	15	16
200	Do preferred	....	76	77⅛	75⅛
1700	Rubber Goods	....	34⅛	33⅛	33⅛
100	Do preferred	....	102	102	102⅛
	St.L.& G.I.1st.pfd	....	56	54	54⅛
100	Do 2d pfd.	....	22	22	21⅛
1000	Sloss	....	76⅛	75⅛	75
100	Do preferred	....	104	104	103⅛
100	Third Avenue	....	125	125	124⅛
1000	Twin City	....	110	109	109
100	Un. Bag & Paper	....	10	10	10
	Va. Car.—Chem.	....	32⅛	31⅛	32
	Do preferred	....	101⅛	101⅛	101

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104½	Man. con. gold 4s.	104½
Do coupon	104½	Mexican Cen. 4s.	76
U. S. 3s, reg.	103½	Do 1st inc.	20
Do coupon	104	M. & St. L. 4s.	97
U. S. new 4s, reg.	132	M. K. & T. 4s.	102
Do coupon	132	Do 2nds	85½
U. S. old 4s, reg.	104½	Nat. Mexico c. 4s.	79½
Do coupon	104½	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s.	100½
Am. Tob. 4s, ctfs.	72½	N. J. C. gen. 5s.	136
Do 6s, ctfs.	112	North. Pacific 4s.	105½
Atchison gen. 4s.	102½	Do 3s	75½
Do adjt. 4s.	96½	N. & W. con. 4s.	102½
Atl. Coast L. 4s.	101½	Ore. S. L. rfdg 4s.	97½
Balt. & Ohio 4s.	101½	Penna. conv. 3½s	101½
Do 3½s	95½	Reading gen. 4s.	102½
Cen. Georgia 5s.	113½	St.L. & I.M. c.5s.	116½
Do 1st inc.	92½	St.L. & S.F. fg. 4s.	89½
Do 2nd inc.	78	St. L. S'w con. 4s.	97½
Ches.& Ohio 4½s	107½	Seab'd Air L. 4s.	85½
C. & Alton 3½s.	81	South. Pacific 4s.	94½
C. B. & Q. n. 4s.	101½	Southern Ry. 5s.	119½
C. R. I. & P. 4s.	79½	Tex. & Pac. 1sts.	120½
Do col. 5s.	91	T. St. L. & W. 4s.	82
C.C.C.& St.L.g.4s.	102½	Union Pacific 4s.	106½
*Chicago Ter. 4s.	96	Do conv. 4s.	115
Col. Midland 4s.	74	U. S. Steel 2nd 5s.	92½
Col. & South. 4s.	92½	Wabash 1sts	117
Cuba 5s, ctfs.	105½	Do Deb. B.	73
D. & R. G. 4s.	101½	W. Maryland 4s.	[illegible]
Distillers' Sec. 5s.	79	*W. & L. E. 4s.	94½
Erie prior lien 4s.	102	Wisconsin Cen. 4s.	94½
Do gen. 4s.	[illegible]	Japan 6s, ctfs.	95½
Ft. W. & D.C. 1st.	112	Do 4s, ctfs.	89½
Hock. Val. 4½s.	111½	Col. Ind. 5s, A.	68
Japan 6s	94½	Do 5s, B.	67½
L. & N. unif 4s.	103½		

*Offered.
Total sales (par value), $2,990,000.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Tin Can	10⅛	North. Securities	182½
Do preferred	66	Otis Elevator	49
Bay State Gas	3-16	Do preferred	102
Electric Vehicle	19	Seab'd Air Line	18
Do preferred	34	Do preferred	35
Greene Con. Cop.	24⅝	Standard Oil	[illegible]
Interborough	120	Tennessee Copper	35½
Int. Mer. Mar.	10½	Tonopah	13
Do preferred	26	Beth. Steel	28
International Salt	27½	Do preferred	77
Do 5s	62		

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Amer. Railways	51	Penna. steel pfd.	97
Cambria Steel	25	Phila. Co.	43
Cambria Iron	48	Do preferred	48
Consol Trac. N. J.	83	Phila. Traction	100
Cons. Lake Sup'r.	4½	Phila. Rap. Trans.	32½
Do preferred	8	Phila. Elec. Co.	11½
Elec. Stor. com.	76	Tidewater Steel	7
Elec. Co. Amer.	11½	Do preferred	8
Lehigh Valley	61½	Union Traction	57½
Marsden	2½	United Gas Impt.	91½
Penna. R. R.	65	Welsbach Co.	30
Penna. Steel com.	36		

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	77½	American Sugar	139½
Do preferred	101¼	Do preferred	137½
*Bos. & Albany	255	Am. Tel. & Tel.	137
Boston Elevated	156	†Amer. Woolen	102
Fitchburg pfd.	141	†Dom. Iron & Stl.	17½
Mexican Central	18½	*Mass. Gas	47½
N. Y. N. H. & H.	195	United Fruit	105
†Pere Marquette	100	United Shoe Mach.	86½
Union Pacific	115⅝	Do preferred	31½
Am. Arge. Chem.	22	U. S. Steel	25¾
Do preferred	88	Do preferred	91½
Am. Pneu. Tube	1⅝		

*Bid. †Asked.

Express Companies' Stocks.

Adams	242	United States	122½
American	228	Wells-Fargo	240

MARKET DISCOURAGED HOPES OF RECOVERY

Closing Prices Reflect Declines. United States Steel Was Active Issue of the Day.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 24.—The Herald this (Wednesday) morning says: The stock market of yesterday was a disappointment to persons who had counted upon a recovery. Upon the announcement of the suspension of the Merchants Trust Company, traders who figured that "with the bad news out" a rally was due, bought and bid up stocks, but on the advance, selling for both accounts was received, and prizes relapsed sharply.

Final changes were irregular with carious net gains and losses interspersed throughout the list. For the most part, however, closing prices reflected declines of from a large fraction to two points below the best figures of the day. Speculative sentiment was mixed, but the rank and file in the offices were much depressed at the failure of the market to hold its recovery. These spoke of exhaustive "buying power" and predicted lower prices.

The news of the day was not of wide application in its bearing upon the general financial situation. The suspension of the Merchants Trust Company was an interesting feature of the day's developments. The institution, however, was unimportant from a Wall street point of view, and the news of the disaster had practically no effect on the market. Professional operators who sought to bid up prices after the suspension was announced, found out this to their cost.

The weather bureau's weekly bulletin crop conditions was not wholly favorable, but while wheat and corn advanced a trifle, it is doubtful if the news had any influence on the stock market. If the day disclosed anything at all it was that the public is paying little attention to stocks.

United States Steel was the active issue of the day. The stock showed excellent rallying power in the early trading, and brokers suspected of acting for banking interests associated with the property, bought and bid up the issues. The movement, however, was not well supported, and upon the advance selling for both accounts became evident. Nothing in the way of news developed in connection with the Steel stocks during the day.

MAYOR HAYS MAY GO TO CAPE MAY IN AN AUTO

Expected to Travel from Buffalo and to Spend Memorial Day at the Seashore.

A dispatch from Cape May, N. J., states that Mayor Hays of Pittsburgh will be at Cape May on Memorial day, May 30, as the guest of Mrs. L. L. Bailey of the Duquesne villa. It states that Mayor Hays will go to Cape May from Buffalo, N. Y., in an automobile and that he will be accompanied by several well-known Pittsburghers.

He is expected to remain at the seashore over Sunday following Memorial day and return to Pittsburgh by the way of Philadelphia, where he will stop to call upon Mayor Weaver.

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 23.—Spirits turpentine firm, 65½c; rosin firm, $3 25 bid. Tar firm. Crude turpentine firm, $2 50, $4 50 and $5 00.

SAVANNAH, GA., May 23.—Turpentine firm, 69c. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, $3 60; D, $3 65; E, $3 70; F, $3 75; G, $3 80; H, 4 05; I, $4 50; K, $4 70; M, $4 80; N, $4 90; W G, $5 10; W W, $5 40.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 23.—Turpentine steady, 66½c. Rosin, A, B, C, $3 35; D, $3 40; E, $3 45; F, $3 50; G, $3 55; H, $3 75; I $4 25; K, $4 40; M, $4 50; N, $4 65; W G, $4 75; W W, $5 07½.

Elect Delegates to State Federation.

The Travelers' club yesterday elected Mrs. W. P. Price, its new president, and Mrs. William Macrum, the retiring president, delegates from the club to the State Federation at its annual meeting in October in Cambridge Springs. Mrs. Harvey McKinney and Mrs. D. D. Patterson are the alternates elected yesterday.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market remains firm at 5@6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$10,196,907.06	$1,800,977.00
Last week	8,353,009.54	1,813,370.60
Last year	8,968,917.05	1,346,651.35

Foreign Money Market.

LONDON, May 23.—Rates for money were easy in the market today, and the demand was fair. Discounts were easier. Trading on the stock exchange was moderately active and prices were steady. The feature was the renewed decline in Americans. Consols and other gilt-edged securities were strengthened by the cheapness of money, but eased towards the close. Americans opened weak in the unfavorable outlook in Wall street which restricted operations. Later there was some small buying at a lower level which hardened quotations temporarily. In the afternoon prices further declined and the market closed weak. Japanese had a hardening tendency except 6s. Imperial Japanese government 6s of 1904 were quoted at 101⅝. Continentals benefited by Paris support. Consols for money, 90 3-16. Consols for account, 90¼. Bar silver uncertain, 27 1-16d an ounce. Money 1@1½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2 1-16@2¼ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three-months' bills is 2 1-16@2⅛ per cent.

PARIS, May 23.—Prices on the bourse today were firm at first but became weak on the decline of Americans in London and fears of a ministerial crisis in England. At the close the market was heavy. Russian Imperial 4s were quoted at 89.00, and Russian bonds of 1904 at 501. The private rate of discount was 1½ per cent. Three per cent rentees, 99 francs 55 centimes for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs 15½ centimes for checks.

BERLIN, May 23.—Trading on the boerse today was adversely affected by the tone of the New York market. Transactions were limited. Exchange on London, 20 marks 48¼ pfennigs for checks. Discount rates: Short bills, 1½ per cent. Three-months' bills, 2⅛ per cent.

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the San Francisco and Seattle assay offices, today's official records show that the sub-treasury paid out yesterday $9,159. Of this amount $8,296 had been deposited at San Francisco, and $863 at Seattle. Total thus paid since Friday, $9,783, against $15,718 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,749,000. Payment by banks to government, $3,851,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $102,000, paid by banks to government. Total net payment by banks to government since Friday, $419,000, against $5,722,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago, and $7,441,000 paid by government to banks a year ago.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $129,460,437; gold, $70,596,279; silver, $26,329,127; United States notes, $15,014,036; treasury notes of 1890, $27,760; national bank notes, $14,460,903; total receipts this day, $1,149,118; total receipts this month, $32,109,247; total receipts this year, $483,823,396; total expenditures this day, $1,380,000; total expenditures this month, $35,430,000; total expenditures this year, $520,833,707; deposits in national banks, $93,463,945.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Prime mercantile paper 3¾@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 87.20@4 87.25 for demand and at $4 85.20@4 85.25 for 60 day bills. Posted rates, $4 85½ @4 86 and $4 87½@4 88. Commercial bills $4 85. Bar silver, 58⅛c; Mexican dollars, 45c. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular. Money on call easy at 2@2¼ per cent; closing bid 2 per cent; offered at 2¼ per cent. Time money easy and unchanged; 60 days 3 per cent, 90 days 3¼ per cent; 6 months, 3¼ @3½ per cent.

Trolley Passengers in Danger.

A crowded trolley car on the Wilkinsburg and East Pittsburgh line left the rails while descending a hill at East Pittsburgh yesterday morning and narrowly escaped pitching over an embankment of 200 feet above the Pittsburgh, Bessemer & Lake Erie railroad. When the accident occurred the passengers made a rush to jump off and a number were badly bruised. No one was seriously injured.

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HEAVY FROSTS SENDING GREEN GOODS PRICES UP

Advances in Many Lines Will Probably Be Made This Week. Groceries Are Firm.

The effects of the heavy frosts which have prevailed in this section of the country for several nights past are already being felt in the local vegetable and produce markets. Asparagus has taken a sharp upward move. Strawberries will be much higher priced than they have been. It is not yet known what effect it will have on sugar corn, as that crop is not far enough on to tell much about it. It is certain that it was hurt severely, however, and this section will have to depend upon the southern product much longer than it otherwise would. Every line in the green goods market is expected to advance sharply in a few days on account of the frost.

Strawberries have already gone up and good stock is selling at a fancy price. Lemons are also threatening an advance, but this is the time of year when citrous fruits usually go up, and no surprise is occasioned. Southern goods of every kind are expected to advance in a few days.

The first watermelons are in. They are little ones of the long "Rattlesnake" variety, and come from Southern Florida. They are retailing at $1 each, but are only eatable because of their price. The good ones have not begun to form yet.

Flour remained firm yesterday and sugar looks a little stronger. All other lines in the grocery trade are holding up well.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts of hay and grain yesterday were: Pennsylvania lines, 11 cars hay, 14½ cars corn, 11½ cars oats, 2 cars feed; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 3 cars hay, 2 cars corn, 1 car oats; Baltimore & Ohio, 6 cars hay, 2 cars corn, 1 car oats.

Receipts were light yesterday, with the exception of corn. As that commodity has been scarce for some time and the market in the west continues to advance, there was no difficulty in disposing of all arrivals, even at advanced quotations. A much better inquiry is noted for straw.

No. 1 timothy	$12.75@13.00
No. 2	$11.75@12.00
No. 1 clov.	$10.25@10.75
No. 1 mix.	$10.50@11.00
Loose from wagon	$14.00@16.00
Straw, oat	$7.25@7.50
do wheat	$7.25@7.50
do rye	$12.00@12.50
No. 2 white oats	35½@36c
No. 3 oats	35@35½c
No. 4 oats	34½@34¾c
White middlings, No. 1, ton	$19.00@19.50
No. 2 middlings	$17.50@18.00
do brown	$16.50@17.00
Bran, ton	$16.50@16.75
Wheat, No. 2 red, at mill	93@95c
Corn—Yellow shelled	58@58½c
High mixed	56½@57c
Yellow ear	63@64c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	
18 lbs and up	11¼c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	11¼c
Over 10 to 14 lbs	11¼c
10 lbs and under	11½c
Skinned	12½c
Boneless boiled	19c
California	8c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut	8½c
do skinned	9c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	11c
do 10 to 12 lbs	10¾c
do back strips	10c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	11¼c
do 10 to 12 lbs	10¾c
Breakfast bacon, back strips	10¼c
Dry salt sides, extra short clear	8c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	8¼c
do 16 to 20 lbs	8½c
do under 16 lbs	8½c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears	9c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	9¼c
do 16 to 20 lbs	9½c
do under 16 lbs	9½c
Lard, pure, tierces	7¾c

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messinas	$2.75@3.00
do Cal.	$2.25@2.50
Oranges, Florida, Indian River	$3.50@4.00
Navel	$3.00@4.00
Cocoanuts, bags	$3.25@3.50
do doz.	45@50c
Figs, cartons	7@8c
do layers	8@12c
do washed, stuffed, doz.	$2.25
Bananas 1st	$1.50@2.00
do 2nds	$1.00@1.50
Cherries, box	$3.00@3.50
Pineapples, Red Span.	$3.25@3.50
Grape fruit	$4.50@5.00
do Cal.	$2.50@3.00
Apples, fancy Baldwin	$3.50@4.00
do Willows, fancy	$3.00@3.50
do other varieties, Choice	$1.50@2.00
Common	$1.25@1.50
Limes, per 100	75c@$1.00
Dates, stuffed	18c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl.	$20.00
do half bbl.	$11.50
do quar. bbl.	$6.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl.	$20.00
do half bbls.	$10.50
do quar. bbls.	$6.25
do 20-lb pails	$2.40
do 10-lb pails	$1.75
Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl.	$16.50
do half bbls.	$8.50
do quar. bbls.	$4.25
do 20-lb pails	$1.90
do 10-lb pails	$1.00
do No. 2 Irish, 50-lb tubs	$5.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs.	$3.60
do 30-lb.	$1.45
do 10-lb.	52c

GROCERIES.

Flour.	
Fancy spg. patent, quarters, in paper	$6.00@6.10
Fancy winter patent	$5.40@5.75
Rye	$4.60@4.70
Graham, 10-lb bags	$2.30@2.50
Cornmeal, bbls.	$3.00@3.25
Rolled oats, bbl.	$4.20
do kegs	$2.40
Roasted Coffee.	
Rio	12½@15c
Santos	23@24c
Maracaibo	15½@16c
Peaberry	18@18½c
Golden Rio	17c
Caracas	20@20½c
Standard, pkgs.	13.05c
High grade	18@19c
Molasses, fancy refined	35@36c
do choice	31@34c
do open ket.	37@39c
do 2-lb	95c
do 3-lb	$1.35@1.65
Fancy syrup	28@30c
Maple sugar, gal.	$1.00
Sug. and cane	24@25c
Prime	24@25c
2-lb cans, doz.	75c
2½-lb cans, doz.	90c
3-lb cans, doz.	$1.80
10-lb cans, doz.	$3.40
Maple, gal.	75c@$1.00
Sugar, sta. gran.	6.05c
do bags	6.05c
do 2-lb carton	6.20c
do 5-lb bags	6.20c
do pow'd xxxx	6.20c
do cut loaf	6.30c
do cubes	6.25c
do coffee A	5.90c
do No. 1 yellow	5.70c
do No. 3 yellow	5.60c
Beans.	
Navy, choice H. P.	$1.90@2.00
Red kidney	$3.00@3.10
Cal. lima, lb.	6⅜@6⅝c
Peas, dried, bu.	$1.10@1.15
do split, lb.	3½c
do marrowfat, bu.	$2.00@2.10
Oil, carbon, 110 deg.	10½c
do headlight	11¼c
do water white	11½c
do Ohio W. W. 150 deg.	11½c
do Elaine	15c
Miners' oil, special brands	26@43c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb.	6@6½c
do fancy Japan	3¾@4½c
do choice Carolina	4@6c
Salt, No. 1 bbl.	$1.10
do No. 2 extra	$1.20
do gran. rock	95c
do pocket	$1.55@1.85
do dairy	$1.40
Lentils, fancy "6-O," lb.	4½@5½c
Sauerkraut, 40-gal. cask	$4.25
do 15-gal. keg	$1.95

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.00
do pie gal.	$2.50@3.00
do California, L. C.	$2.00@2.25
do California, Y. F.	$1.90@2.25
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.20
do stand.	80@90c
Cherries, Cal., white	$2.00@2.25
Lima beans	$1.25@1.45
do soaked	75@80c
String beans, 2-lb	65c
do 3-lb	95c
Stringless beans	$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrowfat	80@85c
do early June	75@85c
do soaked	55@65c
Plums, California	$1.40@1.65
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans	$2.20@2.25
Pineapples	$1.25@2.50
Raspberries	85@95c
Gooseberries	85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy	$1.10@1.30
do standard	72½@80c
do gal.	$2.35
Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.10@1.25
Baked beans, cans, tomato sc.	75@95c
Salmon, doz.	85c@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats	95c@$1.00
1-lb flats	$1.65@2.00
do pink, 1-lb talls	$1.81@2.10
Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.30@2.40
do 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.30
Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s	$3.10@3.15
do mustards, ¾s	$2.60
do French	$6.50@18.50

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bu. store	40@45c
do Bermuda, bbl.	$4.00@4.50
do Fla. Rose, bbl.	$2.50@3.00
do bu.	$1.10@1.25
Onions, Bermudas	$1.40@1.50
do Texas, crates	$1.40@1.50
do Egyptians, sacks	$2.75@3.00
do Southern, sacks	$1.40@1.50
Cabbage, new, crate	$2.00@2.50
Spinach, bu. hampers	40@50c
Honey, new	14@15c
do extra fancy	16c
Bulbs, Caladiums, doz.	50c@$1.00
do Tuberoses, doz.	10@25c
Asparagus, do home raised, doz.	75@90c
do Ohio	65@75c
Rhubarb	15@20c
Popcorn, lb.	4@5c
Eggplant, Florida, crates	$3.00@3.50
Mushrooms, per lb.	50@60c
Garlic, lb.	8@10c
Watercress, doz.	30@40c
Lettuce, baskets	25@30c
field, doz.	25@35c
Onion sets, bu. yellow Southern	$1.50@1.75
do silver skin	$1.50@1.75
Kale, basket	90c@$1.00
Green peas, bu.	$1.00@1.25

SOUTHERN GREEN STUFF.

Carrots, doz.	50@65c
Lettuce, hd.	$1.00@1.25
do bbl. hd.	$2.00@2.50
Leeks, doz.	40@50c
Florida tomatoes, fancy	$2.00@2.50
do choice	$1.50@1.75
Radishes, long red, doz.	25@30c
do white, doz.	35@40c
Cucumbers, Ashtabula chips	$1.25@1.50
do Southerns	40@50c
do basket	$1.25@1.50
Strawberries, N. C. fancy	$3.30@4.00
choice	$2.00@3.00
do Maryland, fancy, qt.	8@12c
do choice, qt.	5@7c
New beets, doz.	40@50c
Green peppers, crate	$2.50@2.75
Parsley, doz.	50@60c
Kohlrabis	40@50c
Spring onions	15@20c
Green beans, bu.	$2.00@2.25
Wax beans, bu.	$1.75@2.00
Mint, doz.	50@75c
Celery, Florida, crates	$2.75@3.00
do N. O., doz.	25@35c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small	$8.00@8.10
do mammoth	$8.10@8.20
do crimson	$5.50@5.60
do white, Dutch	$9.75@11.50
Alsike	$8.00@8.10
Alfalfa	$8.00@8.25
Millet, Western	$1.35@1.50
Southern	$1.05@2.00
Grass, Hungarian	90c@$1.00
do lawn, lb.	16@18c
do blue, 15-lb bu.	$1.25@1.50
do red top, 14-lb bu.	$1.10@1.60
Timothy	$1.45@1.50

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live chickens	14@15c
do springers	40@50c
do roosters	9@10c
do turkeys	16@17c
do geese	10@12c
do ducks	14@15c
do pigeons, doz.	$1.00@1.25
Dressed hens	16@17c
do springers	40@50c
do roosters	11@12c
do turkeys	22@23c
Broilers	18@19c
do Long Island ducklings	20c
do ducks	18@19c
do capon, lb.	26@27c
Squab, doz.	$4.00
do No. 2	$3.75
Ducks, ruddy	$1.25
do red head	$1.75@3.00
do canvasback	$2.75@3.00
Impt. golden plover, doz.	$5.50
do black plover	$4.50
English pheasants, per pair	$3.25
Reed birds, doz.	$1.25
Snappers, per lb.	9@10c
Suckling pigs, lb.	10@12c
Pigeons, pair	30@35c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	
Prints	24@24½c
Tubs	23½@24c
Ohio cream	21@22c
Dairy	15@16c
Cooking	11½@12c
Cheese, N. Y., full crm, new	12¼@13c
do Ohio crm	12½@13c
do ¾ cream, new	11½@12c
do Wis. Swiss tubs	15@15½c
do block	14½@15c
do imported	27@27½c
do Limberger, new	13½@14c
5-lb brick, new	14@14½c
Eggs, selected candled	17@18c
do southern	17@17½c
Gathering Point Prices:	
Dairy butter, lb.	11½@12½c
Eggs, doz.	14½c

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, Mich., bushel	28@30c
carlots	25@27c
do Ohio, carlots	28@32c
do bu.	32@35c
Apples, fancy, bbl.	$2.00@3.00
do choice, bbl.	$1.50@1.75
Celery, Fla.	$2.50@2.75
New cabbage, crates	$2.00
Texas onions	$1.00@1.25

SEED POTATOES.

Potatoes, early Ohio seed, bu.	50@55c
do bbl.	$2.25@2.50
do Burbank, bu.	45@50c
do bbl.	$2.00@2.25
do early Rose, bu.	50@60c
do bbl.	$2.25@2.50
Potatoes, Rural N. Y., bu.	40@45c

Pig Iron Certificates Market.

NEW YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—Early in the session of the pig iron market regular contracts were offered at easier figures in many cases, but without stimulating the demand. Foundry contracts were steady. First call, 11 o'clock:

	Regular. Bid.	Regular. Asked.	Foundry. Bid.	Foundry. Asked.
May	14.80	15.20	15.25	16.25
June	14.85	15.15	15.30	15.85
July	14.85	15.20	15.50	15.70
August	14.75	15.25	....	....
October	14.75	15.25	15.35	15.85
November	14.75	15.25	....	....
December	14.75	15.25	....	....
February	14.75	15.25	15.55	15.60

Late in the session regular contracts were offered at still lower prices, but there was no demand. Foundry contracts continued firm. Second call, 1 o'clock:

	Regular. Bid.	Regular. Asked.	Foundry. Bid.	Foundry. Asked.
May	14.75	14.85	15.25	16.25
June	....	15.00	15.25	16.00
July	14.75	15.10	15.65	16.00
August	14.75	15.20	....	....
October	14.75	15.00	15.25	16.00
November	14.75	15.00	....	....
December	14.75	15.00	....	....
February	14.75	15.00	14.70	16.00

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—Butter firm; extra western creamery, 23c; nearby prints, 24c. Eggs steady; nearby fresh, 17c at mark; western, 17½@18c. Cheese weaker; fair to good (new), 10¾@11½c; domestic Swiss, 11@14c.

CHICAGO, May 23.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 16@21c; dairies, 16@19c. Eggs steady at mark, cases included, 15c; firsts, 16c; prime firsts, 17c; extras, 18½c. Cheese weak at 9½@10½c.

FINANCIAL AND TRADE NOTES.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $815,059; government receipts from internal revenue, $237,697; customs, $734,189; miscellaneous, $176,030; expenditures, $1,380,000.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The action brought by the Commonwealth Trust Company against John W. Young, Lewis Nixon, Daniel Leroy Dresser, the United States Shipbuilding Company, James Smith, the receiver appointed for that corporation by the United States court in New Jersey, and a number of other defendants, to determine the rights and interests of the various parties in the matter of floating the bonds and stocks of the late United States Shipbuilding Company, came up for trial before Justice Amend in the supreme court today.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—(Special.)—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has placed an order for 3,000 tons of structural steel for immediate delivery with the American Bridge Company. The steel is to be used for the construction of viaducts near Washington and along the Philadelphia, Baltimore & Washington division. The order will be increased to 6,000 tons within a few weeks.

WHEAT MAKES GAIN OF ANOTHER CENT

Reports of Rapid Deterioration in the Fall-Sown Crop Cause Bullish Sentiment.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, May 23.—Reports of rapid deterioration in the condition of fall-sown wheat caused bullish sentiment in the wheat pit here today. The July option closed with a gain of 1⅛c. Corn is up ⅜c. Oats show ⅛c advance. Provisions are unchanged to 5c lower.

Strength in the wheat market came after a rather weak undertone at the start. Influenced by lower prices at Liverpool, the market here showed slight losses at the opening. Initial quotations on July being unchanged to ⅛c lower, at 88⅝c to 88½c. The fact that weather throughout the west and southwest was much improved, helped to bring out selling, and resulted in a decline to 88⅜c for July. Soon, however, there commenced to be received crop reports from many sections of the winter wheat country claiming great deterioration in the growing plant. Kansas City and St. Louis seemingly vied with each other in the dissemination of such reports. The most damage was reported from Kansas, where it was estimated the total yield will not be over 75,000,000 bushels. On May 1 the crop of that state was placed at 95,000,000 bushels. That these reports were in the main accepted as correctly describing the situation was shown by a quick advance in prices. Sentiment became extremely bullish on urgent bidding by shorts. Option prices were given additional buoyancy by the strength of cash wheat, in all large trading centers. At 90¼c July reached the highest point of the day. During the last half hour a portion of gain was lost on profit-taking centers. The market, however, closed strong with July at 89½c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 48,300 bushels. The world's visible supply, as shown by Bradstreet's, decreased 2,100,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 256,000 bushels compared with 261,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 193 cars against 85 cars last week, and 109 cars a year ago.

Sentiment in the corn market was bullish and the volume of trading was large. One factor that greatly aided the bulls was the strength of wheat. Another influence was the weather bureau report which claimed much replanting of corn was necessary owing to the continued wet weather. Extremely liberal receipts had a depressing effect at the start, but a firm tone soon developed. July opened a shade lower at 47⅞@48c, sold between 47⅞@48¾c, and closed at 48½c. Local receipts were 449 cars, with 155 of contract grade.

Notwithstanding the strength of wheat and corn, the oats market was quite weak early in the session. Liberal receipts formed the principal reason for the easier undertone. The weather bureau report was of a bearish nature. Later, shorts covered, causing a complete recovery, the market closing firm. July opened ⅛c lower, at 29⅛c, sold up to 30c, and closed at 29⅞c. Local receipts were 244 cars.

Realizing sales by packers caused an easier tone in the provision market. The declining tendency was checked by the strength of wheat and corn. At the close July pork was off 5c, at $12 57½. Lard was down 5c, at $7 30. Ribs were unchanged at $7 25@7 27½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 12 cars; corn, 190 cars; oats, 140 cars; hogs, 33,000 head.

The leading futures as reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, members Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT No. 2.					
May	1 01	1 03⅛	1 01	1 02⅝	1 01
July	88⅝	90¼	88⅜	89½	88⅝
Sept.	82	82¼	81⅝	82⅛	82⅛
CORN No. 2.					
May	57¼	58⅛	56½	57⅝	56⅝
*July	48¼	49¼	48	48⅝	48¼
†July	48	48⅜	47⅞	48½	48
*Sept.	47½	48⅛	47⅞	48⅛	47⅞
†Sept.	47⅜	48⅛	47¼	48	47½
OATS No. 2.					
May	30¼	30⅞	30¼	30⅞	30⅜
July	29½	30	29⅛	29⅞	29⅛
Sept.	28⅝	28⅝	28¼	28⅝	28⅜
MESS PORK.					
May	....	....	....	12 45	12 50
July	12 55	12 60	12 55	12 57½	12 62½
Sept.	12 77½	12 85	12 77½	12 82½	12 87½
LARD.					
May	....	....	....	7 17½	7 22½
July	7 32½	7 32½	7 27½	7 30	7 35
Sept.	7 50	7 50	7 45	7 47½	7 52½
SHORT RIBS.					
May	7 07½	7 10	7 07½	7 10	7 10
July	7 25	7 27½	7 22½	7 27½	7 27½
Sept.	7 50	7 52½	7 47½	7 50	7 52½

*Old. †New.

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat, $1 08@1 11; No. 3, $1 00@1 08; No. 2 red, $1 05@1 08½; No. 2 corn, 57⅞c; No. 2 yellow, 57⅞c; No. 2 oats, 30¼@30½c; No. 2 white, 32¾c; No. 3 white, 31@32½c; No. 2 rye, 77@78c; good feeding barley, 39@40c; fair to choice malting, 46@49c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 26; No. 1 northwestern, $1 42; prime timothy seed, $2 90; mess pork, per bbl., $12 45@12 50; lard, per 100 lbs., $7 15@7 17½; short ribs sides (loose), $7 05@7 15; short clear sides (boxed), $7 12½@7 25; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 26; clover, contract grade, $11 75@12 25.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	19,100	5,600
Wheat, bu.	14,900	26,200
Corn, bu.	272,500	82,600
Oats, bu.	267,200	302,100
Rye, bu.	......	2,000
Barley, bu.	42,900	5,100

NEW YORK, May 23.—Flour—Receipts, 22,153 bbls; exports, 9,895 bbls; market firmer with fair trade; Minnesota patent, $5 60@6 10. Rye flour firm. Cornmeal firm. Barley dull. Wheat—Receipts, 63,000 bu; spot firm; No. 2 red, $1 06⅝ nominal elevator; No. 2 red, $1 07⅝ nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1 12¼ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 02¼ f. o. b. afloat. An opening decline of ⅛@¼c, due to better weather news, was immediately followed by a strong advance that carried July up 1⅜c a bushel. It was based on persistent crop damage reports and active outside support. May was also very strong on manipulation, closing 3⅛c net higher, whereas other months reacted partially and closed ⅝c net higher. May, $1 05⅛@1 05¾, closed $1 05¾; July, 93⅝@95⅝c, closed 94⅝c; September, 86@87½c, closed, 86⅝c; December, 86¼@86⅝c, closed 86½c. Corn—Exports, 1,969 bu; spot firm; No. 2, 58⅛c nominal elevator and 57⅛c nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 57⅛c; No. 2 white, 58c. The option market was more active and generally firmer on showery weather predictions and lighter estimated receipts, until near the close, when July eased off with wheat and was finally ⅜c net higher against 2c rise in May. May, 58⅝@58⅞c, closed 58⅞c; July, 53⅞@54½c, closed 54⅛c. Oats—Receipts, 91,500 bu; spot market steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 35@35½c; natural white, 30 to 32 pounds, 36@37½c; clipped white, 36 to 40 pounds, 36½@40c.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 23.—Wheat, May, $1 16⅝; July, $1 07½; September, 84¾c; No. 1 hard, $1 18; No. 1 northern, $1 18; No. 2 northern, $1 14. Flour—First patents, $6 40@6 50; second patents, $6 20@6 30; first clears, $4 00@4 10; second clears, $2 75@2 85. Bran in bulk, $12 00@13 50.

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—Wheat—No. 2 red cash, $1 00@1 01; May, $1 00½; July, 84⅛@84½c; No. 2 hard, $1 08@1 10. Corn—No. 2 cash, 51c; May, 51c; July, 47⅝c. Oats—Cash, No. 2, 30½c; May, 30⅝c; July, 28c; No. 2 white, 33@33½c.

MILWAUKEE, May 23.—Wheat—No. 1, $1 16; No. 2 northern, $1 10; July, 89⅝c asked. Rye—No. 1, 83c. Barley, No. 2, 51c; sample, 38@50c. Corn dull; No. 3, 52@53½c; July, 48⅝c bid.

DULUTH, May 23.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1 08⅝; No. 2 northern, $1 04½; May, $1 08⅝; July, $1 09, September, 84⅝c.

TOLEDO, May 23.—Cloverseed—Cash, $7 00 asked; October, $5 70; prime alsike, $7 45; prime timothy, $1 52½.

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, May 23.—The wool market continues to strengthen and reports indicate that the west is well sold up, Montana being especially covered up by contracts or actual sales. There is less trading among dealers here, but this is because a large part of the speculative wool available has been placed. There is little doing in territory wools on spot, but new wools are eagerly taken at full prices. The demand for foreign and pulled wools is active. Leading quotations are about as follows: Ohio and Pennsylvania XX and above, 34@35c; X, 31@32c; No. 1, 38@39c; No. 2, 38@40c; fine unwashed, 25@26c; quarterblood unwashed, 33@34c; three eighths blood, 33@34c; half blood, 30@33c; unwashed delaine, 27@28c; unmerchantable, 28@29c; fine washed delaine, 37c. Michigan fine unwashed, 22@23c; quarter blood unwashed, 32@33c; three eighths blood, 33@34c; half blood, 30@31c; unwashed delaine, 25@26c; Kentucky and Indiana, etc., three eights and quarter blood, 33@34c. Territory—Idaho fine, 21@22c; heavy fine, 18@19c; fine medium, 21@22c; medium, 26@27c; low medium, 26@27c. Wyoming fine, 20@21c; heavy fine, 17@18c; fine medium, 22@23c; medium, 26@27c; low medium, 26@27c; Utah and Nevada fine, 21@22c; heavy fine, 17@18c; fine medium, 22@23c; medium, 26@27c; low medium, 27@28c. Dakota fine, 20@21c; fine medium, 21@22c; medium, 26@27c; low medium, 26@27c. Montana fine, choice, 25@26c; fine average, 21@22c; fine medium choice, 25@26c; average, 21@22c; medium choice, 27@28c.

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NEWS FROM THE MINES.

Mr. R. Macbeth, general manager of the Lucky Boy mines of Custer, Idaho, out of which $11,000,000 has been extracted, has spent a week investigating the leading properties of the Bullfrog district of Nevada. He is in this field representing Salt Lake capital, and says he is much impressed with the outlook for the camp.

The stopes of the El Paso mine are so full of ore that it has been necessary for the ore sorters to work a quarter of a day over-time each day, so as to handle the great amount of ore that is being broken. This mine is making a wonderful profit each month, and this month the dividend has been increased so that 3 cents a share, amounting to $73,500, will be distributed among the stockholders.

Copper ore running as high as $75 a ton has been found within the limits of Helena, Mont., and the vein is declared to be permanent in character so far as appearances go. The strike was made in the vicinity of the lime quarries in the southern part of the city.

Eight inches of $200 gold ore has been struck by leasers in the old workings of the Royal Mine near Princeton, Mont.

The Republic smelter in Cooke City has been purchased by the New World Smelting Company. The sale also included a group of four mines, one of these being the War eagle. The company has also purchased a sawmill and will begin work on a systematic scale as soon as permission is received from the department of agriculture to cut timber on the reserve. Cooke City was a famous early day camp.

Articles of incorporation of the Helena Power Transmission Company have been filed with the secretary of state at Trenton, N. J., by G. T. Hilton, B. R. Higgins and Samuel Hartman. This is believed to be a company formed by George L. Estes of Syracuse, N. Y., who some time ago purchased a dam site on the Missouri river near Helena. The company is capitalized at $200,000. Mr. Estes was in Helena recently, and stated that it was his intention to develop electric power for transmission to Helena and Butte and the intermediate mining camps. It is not known just which district the company intends to develop, but there are several of these which through the availability of cheap electrical power could be made to yield handsomely.

Professor N. S. Shaler, professor of mineralogy at Harvard university, and F. F. Stanley, a Boston capitalist, were in Helena recently, conducting experiments in the valley below the city and also inspecting some mining properties in which they are interested. Professor Shaler has a theory that gold in highly paying quantities will be found at bedrock in the valley below the gulches in this vicinity, which yielded many millions of dollars, and with this belief has been conducting a series of experiments by boring. His theory is that in ages past the gold has been washed down from the mountains or mother lodes. Options, it is understood, have been secured on several tracts of land, and it is upon these that the experiments are being made.

The Standard Ore Company, which has had a bond for one year on the Jay Gould Mine, near here, has taken it up, paying $75,000 for the noted property. Work has been resumed, the recent snows and rainfall having assured plenty of water for the operation of the mill.

A rich and important strike is reported from the Boston Consolidated. A recent drift broke into a chute of high grade ore, and has been extended for forty feet. The average values are between 6 per cent and 7 per cent copper and about $4.50 in gold and silver. At present the company is shipping 225 tons daily to the smelter. It is estimated that the daily profit is about $1,000.

The fifteenth annual report of the Transvaal Chamber of Mines says that 71 gold mining companies have produced £116,885,012 in the last 17 years, and paid in dividends £28,321,906. In 1904 the total quantity of ore produced was 8,271,976 tons and the gold extract was valued at £16,054,809. The value of ore per ton ranged from 26.33 shillings to 61.60 shillings, the average being 32.72 shillings. The number of stamps erected was 7,575, of which 5,365 were running December 31, 1904, and 2,250 were idle.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The decline in the London tin market was marked with spot closing at £134 and futures at £135. The local market was quiet with the tin price lower in consequence of the foreign decline, spot being quoted at $29 75@30 25. Copper also was lower in London, closing at £64 2s 6d for spot and £64 [illegible] for futures. The local market remains without material change. Lake is quoted at $15 00@15 25; electrolytic at $15 00@15 12½, and casting at $14 75@15 00, the outside prices being extreme. The London lead market was unchanged at £12 17s 6d and the local market closed quiet at $4 50@4 60. Spelter also was unchanged abroad, closing at £23 12s 6d, while the local market remained easy at $5 50@5 60. Iron closed at 56s in Glasgow and at 45s 3d in Middlesboro. Locally iron was unchanged. No. 1 foundry northern is quoted at $17 00@17 50; No. 2 foundry Northern at $16 50@17 00; No. 1 foundry southern and No. 1 foundry southern soft at $17 00@17 25; No. 2 foundry southern at $16 50@16 75.

Boston Mining Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Bid.	Close. Ask.
Allouez	19½	19½	19½	19½	20
Adventure	3½	3½	3½	3½	4¼
Arcadian	1	1	1	1	1⅛
Atlantic	12½	13	12½	12½	13
Bingham	28½	28½	28¼	28¼	28½
Cal. & Hecla	645	645	645	640	650
Centennial	18⅝	18⅝	18	18	18½
Daly-West	14	14	14	13¾	14
Elm River	....	....	....	2	2¼
Franklin	....	....	....	8½	8¾
Granby	....	....	....	5½	5⅞
Greene	25	25¼	24⅞	25	25¼
Isle Royale	18	18½	17⅞	18⅛	19
Mass	7½	7⅝	7½	7	7½
Mohawk	49½	49½	48½	48	49
Michigan	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	11	11½
Osceola	85½	89	88	88½	90
Old Dominion	24	24	24	23½	24
Old Colony	....	....	....	.50	1.00
Parrot	24	24	23	23	24
Phoenix	1⅛	1⅛	1	1	1⅛
Quincy	....	....	....	96	100
Range Cons.	67½	68½	67¼	67½	68
Rhode Island	2	2	2	1⅞	1⅞
Swift	....	....	....	....	100
Trinity	8	8	7⅞	7½	7¾
Tamarack	106	106	101	102	106
United Fruit	....	....	....	105	105½
Utah	42½	42⅞	42½	42½	43
U. S. Mining	29⅛	29⅞	29	29¼	29⅝
Victoria	....	....	....	2⅞	3⅛
Wolverine	107½	108	107½	107	107½
Winona	9½	10½	9½	9⅛	10½
BISBEE MINING STOCKS.					
Cal. & Ariz.	....	....	....	129	130½
Cal. & Pgh.	20½	20½	20½	20¼	21
L. S. & Pgh.	....	....	....	20	22
Pgh. & Duluth	....	....	....	....	19½
Do full paid	....	....	....	20	20½
North Butte	26½	26½	26	26	26½

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.	.20
Alice	.45
Breece	.25
Brunswick Con.	.01
Comstock Tunnel	.08
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.35
Horn Silver	1.80
Iron Silver	3.00
Leadville Con.	.02
Little Chief	.05
*Ontario	4.00
Ophir	6.25
Phoenix	.02
Potosi	.15
Savage	.45
Sierra Nevada	.38
Small Hopes	.25
*Standard	1.85

*Offered.

Available Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Special cable and telegraphic communications received by Bradstreet's show the following changes in available supplies, as compared with last account: Wheat—United States and Canada, east Rockies, decrease, 2,322,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, increase, 200,000 bushels. Total supply decrease, 2,122,000 bushels. Corn—United States and Canada, east Rockies, decrease, 1,364,000 bushels. Oats—United States and Canada, east Rockies, decrease, 1,162,000. The leading increases reported this week are: 120,000 bushels at Goderich, Ont.; 63,000 bushels in Manitoba; 75,000 bushels at Louisville, 45,000 bushels at Kingston, Ont., and 54,000 bushels at the Milwaukee private elevators. The leading decreases are 267,000 bushels at the Chicago private elevators, 80,000 bushels at Port Huron, and 60,000 bushels at Depot Harbor.

In the Oil Fields.

The McBride gusher on the Waldron farm was agitated for a few minutes Monday evening and the production increased from 35 to 40 barrels an hour. The owners intend to drill it a little deeper into the sand and expect a considerable increase in production. The Southern Oil Company is building a rig for a test on the Ihmsen heirs' farm, northeast of the gusher.

On Salem Fork, Ten Mile district, Harrison county, the Greer Oil Company has drilled its No. 4 on the L. E. Robinson farm through the Gordon and has a show for a 25-barrel producer in that formation. In the same district R. T. Lowndes & Co. have drilled their test on the G. Hursey farm through the same formation and have a show for a very light pumper.

In the Littleton district, in Wetzel county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its test on the M. Bradley farm through the stray and has developed no oil or gas. On Browns run, in Clay district, Wetzel county, Coffman & Funk have drilled their test on the Harvey Villars farm through the stray and have developed no oil or gas.

Near Hebron, in Meade district, Tyler county, the Carter Oil Company has drilled its No. 7 on the M. Denning farm through the Cow run sand and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper. In the Burning Springs district, in Wirt county, Wolfe & O'Brien have completed their No. 14 on the Waite tract and have a three-barrel pumper in the second Cow run sand at a depth of 450 feet. In the same district G. N. Grow has completed his No. 17 on the Camden-Rathbone tract and has a light pumper in the second Cow run sand at a depth of 350 feet.

On the Ohio side, in the New Matamoras development, Monroe county, W. C. Lowrie & Co. have completed another good Keener sand producer. It is this company's test on the A. T. Fogen farm, 400 feet east of the same company's No. 2 on the Mary E. West farm, which came in at the rate of 300 barrels a day two weeks ago. The test on the Fobea farm is producing 100 barrels a day from the Keener. In the Newport district, Washington county, the Bosworth Oil Company has completed a test on the M. A. Bosworth farm and has a duster in the Berea grit. In the same district the Boston Oil Company's No. 33 on the George Stephens farm is producing 60 barrels a day.

In the Wolf creek district, Morgan county, P. M. Selby & Bro. have completed No. 3 on the Lizzie Quinn farm and have a duster in the shallow sand. Three miles east of Athens, in Athens county, Johnson & Pitting have completed a test on the E. Slaughter farm and have a duster in all sands.

South of Burgettstown, Washington county, Pa., R. G. Gillespie has completed a test on the Craig Lee farm and has a very light pumper. North of DeHaven, Allegheny county, Hoch Bros. have completed a test on the C. Rigger farm and have a duster. In the same district, the American Natural Gas Company has completed a test on its own farm and had the same kind of luck. In the Imperial district, in the same county, Carpenter & Co. have completed a test on the Tyford heirs' farm and have a duster. In the same district Riley & Co. have completed a test on the R. J. Stoddard farm and have a duster.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
May 22	70,644	May 21	46,688
Previously	1,739,715	Previously	1,452,271
Total	1,810,359	Total	1,498,959
Daily avg.	89,698	Daily avg.	70,902

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
May 22	62,864	May 21	8,471
Previously	1,226,796	Previously	1,110,494
Total	1,289,660	Total	1,118,965
Daily avg.	58,621	Daily avg.	53,284

The Oil Market.

The Standard Oil Company quotes credit balances in the several fields as follows: Pennsylvania, $1 29; Tiona, $1 44; Second Sand, $1 19; Corning, 96c; New Castle, $1 21; Cabell, $1 04; North Lima, 87c; South Lima, 82c; Indiana, 82c; Somerset, 76c; Ragland, 50c. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes Pennsylvania crude at $1 29.

OIL CITY, May 23.—Credit balances, $1 29; certificates, no bid; shipments, 68,940 barrels; average, 82,212 barrels; runs, 51,464 barrels; average, 71,603 barrels; shipments, Lima, 62,664 barrels; average, 58,612 barrels; runs, 8,471 barrels; average, 53,284 barrels.

TOLEDO, O., May 23.—Oil—North Lima, 87c; South Lima and Indiana, 82c.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The market for coffee futures opened dull at unchanged prices in response to featureless early cables. Later the French market declined ½ franc and prices here sagged off under moderate liquidation, closing steady net unchanged or 5 points lower. Sales were reported of 10,750 bags, including July at 6.65c; September at 6.85c; December at 7.10c; March at 7.21c. Spot Rio quiet; mild dull. Sugar, raw steady. Fair refining, 3 11-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 5-16c; molasses sugar, 3 7-16c; refined steady.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS,
Tuesday, May 23, 1905.

Cattle—Supply light and market steady; choice, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs., $6 25@6 40; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs., $6 00@6 20; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $5 60@5 90; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs., $5 35@5 60; common, 700 to 900 lbs., $4 00@4 50; choice heifers, $5 00@5 25; common to fair heifers, $3 75@4 50; common to fat cows and springers, $25 00@45 00; common to fair, $15 00@30 00.

Sheep and lambs—Supply fair and market slow; prime wethers, 95 to 100 lbs., $5 10@5 15; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs., $4 80@5 00; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs., $4 40@4 70; culls and common, $2 50@3 00; lambs, $4 00@6 70; spring lambs, $7 00@11 00; veal calves, $6 00@6 50; heavy and thin, $4 00@4 50.

Hogs—Receipts light and market active and 10@15c higher; prime heavy, $5 85@5 90; medium, $5 90@5 95; heavy Yorkers and light Yorkers, $5 95@6 00; pigs, $5 90@5 95; roughs, $4 50@5 00; stags, $3 00@3 50.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

KANSAS CITY, May 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,500 head, including 1,200 head southerns; market 5@15c lower; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5 50@6 25; fair to good, $4 50@5 50; western fed steers, $4 50@6 00; stockers and feeders, $3 25@5 00; southern steers, $3 75@5 40; southern cows, $2 50@4 50; native cows, $2 50@4 75; native heifers, $3 50@5 40; bulls, $3 00@4 50; calves, $3 00@5 50. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000 head; market steady to 5c lower; top, $5 42½; bulk of sales, $5 32½@5 40; heavy, $5 35@5 40; packers, $5 32½@5 42½; pigs and lights, $4 60@5 40. Sheep—Receipts, 7,000 head; market for lambs steady; sheep weak; native lambs, $5 50@7 25; western lambs, $5 75@7 25; fed ewes and yearlings, $4 00@6 00; Texas clipped yearlings, $5 00@5 50; Texas clipped sheep, $4 25@5 25; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 00.

CHICAGO, May 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000 head; market steady to 10c lower; good to prime steers, $5 60@6 65; poor to medium, $4 25@5 50; stockers and feeders, $2 75@5 25; cows, $2 75@4 60; calves, $3 00@6 25. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000 head; market strong to 5c higher; mixed and butchers, $5 30@5 60; good to choice, heavy, $5 50@5 57½; rough heavy, $5 25@5 45; light, $5 35@5 60; bulk of sales, $5 45@5 55. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000 head; market steady; good to choice wethers, shorn, $4 75@5 25; fair to choice mixed, shorn, $3 50@4 50; native lambs, shorn, $5 00@6 50.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Spot closed quiet, 10 points higher; middling uplands, 8.55c; middling gulf, 8.80c; sales, 925 bales. The range of prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	8.14	8.15	8.05	8.17
February	....	....	....	8.19
March	8.16	8.16	8.16	8.24
May	8.13	8.16	8.04	8.15
June	7.85	7.85	7.83	7.80
July	7.94	7.99	7.84	7.97
August	7.93	7.97	7.89	7.96
September	8.00	8.00	7.87	8.01
October	8.02	8.08	7.92	8.05
November	....	....	....	[illegible]
December	8.13	8.13	7.98	8.11

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DUQUESNE WAY LOT IS WANTED

Pennsylvania Railroad Company Has Filed Bond for Ice Manufacturing Plant.

BIG SALE IN THE EAST END

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has started proceedings to get possession of the site of the Consolidated Ice Company at Duquesne way and Second street by filing a bond of $125,000 in condemnation proceedings. The move has been expected for a long time, as this property is the only one left below Third street in the Pennsylvania territory, with the exception of the stables of the National Biscuit Company, that the railroad company has not acquired. The ice plant is built on a Schenley leasehold, the site having a frontage of 110 feet in Duquesne way and extending from First street to Second street, with a depth of 153 feet. The building is an old brick structure and the plant itself is said to be quite antiquated. This is one of the Schenley leaseholds that expire in 1912, so that the ice company has seven years' occupancy yet. At the end of that time the building, by the terms of the lease, would revert to the owners of the site, now the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. The ice company is privileged to remove its machinery from the plant, and the chief question of value will be on the price of the remaining seven years' leasehold. Viewers have been appointed and will hold their first meeting on the premises June 5. As far as known the Pennsylvania has made no move to get possession of the site occupied by the National Biscuit Company, although that property is needed for its elevated track improvements.

Residence Site Brings $85,000.

The property of Mrs. George W. Dilworth on the south side of Fifth avenue, opposite College avenue, Twenty-second ward, has been sold for a price approximating $85,000. This is one of the largest residence plots in the East End, having a frontage of 262 feet with a depth of 295 feet. A large double house formerly stood near the center of the plot, but this has recently been torn down. The property abuts in the rear upon the holdings of the Pennsylvania Female college and is directly across Fifth avenue from the residence of Charles Lockhart and W. M. McKelvey. No intimation of who the buyer is could be learned last night.

Another sale of importance in outer Fifth avenue reported yesterday was that of the Gilbert T. Rafferty frontage at the northwest corner of Fifth and Maryland avenues. The plot measures about 400x200 feet, extending back to Kentucky avenue. An old frame house stands near the Fifth avenue end and two dwellings face in Kentucky avenue. Last winter this property was sold to a syndicate of eastern capitalists for an apartment house site, but the deal was never closed. The Fifth avenue frontage is worth from $400 to $500 a foot. Recently the Third Presbyterian church, whose property adjoins the Rafferty holdings, secured title to 27 feet as an addition to its site.

Harry Davis Gets 347 Fifth Avenue.

Harry Davis yesterday afternoon signed papers for the purchase of the old Chronicle Telegraph building at 347 Fifth avenue. The property is 30x240 feet, situated between the Park building and Newell's hotel, and is improved with an old stone front office building, six stories high. The first floor of this has been vacant since it was vacated by The Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph as a business office. In 1903 C. G. Paul, ex-Gov. William A. Stone and the late Samuel C. Grier bought the property for $450,000, but since then Mr. Paul has acquired title to the other interests. Several deals have been on for the property during the past year. One of the last of these was in the form of a long lease which Childs, the New York restaurant man, was to get on the building. The deal had gone so far that tenants of the building were seeking other quarters as the lease, if made, would have necessitated the expenditure of probably $75,000 in improvements. This deal fell through for some reason. It is not known what disposition Mr. Davis will make of the property. The sale is at the rate of $16,667 a front foot or $69.44 a square foot, as Mr. Paul said yesterday that the price paid was $500,000 and that this was on a cash basis.

Bids on Machesney Building.

The plans of Architect T. H. Scott have been accepted for the Machesney building, to be erected at 221-225 Fourth avenue, adjoining the Pittsburgh stock exchange. Bids on the project will be taken tomorrow. The building now planned is 19 stories high and will cover the entire lot 60x80 feet. The first three stories will be of granite and the remainder of pressed brick and terra cotta. The two lower floors will be fitted up for banking and brokerage rooms, and several applications are now on file for these quarters, which will be for these purposes as convenient as can be found in the city. On the 17 floors above there will be about 225 offices. The building will be fireproof and modern in every respect, and will cost about $500,000. It will be completed in time for the April renting season next year. Since the old building on the lot was razed an effort has been made to buy the S. F. Millinger property, 60x80 feet in the rear, and another plot, 22x60 feet, owned by the same party and forming an L to South Diamond street at the market house. This plan has now been abandoned and the new structure will be confined to the original site.

Warehouse for Harness Company.

The Pittsburgh Harness Company, now in Seventh street, has commissioned Architects Dean & Stophlet to prepare plans for a four-story brick warehouse to be erected on the J. H. Beckert lot at 325 Penn avenue, which the company bought recently. The site adjoins the Americus club holdings. The building will be 24x136 feet and will cost about $20,000. Handsome offices will be fitted up on the first floor and the remainder of the structure will be used for a warehouse.

Bids for the six-story store building of the Patterson estate, to be erected in Liberty avenue, have been taken and are now awaiting the approval of the orphans' court. The site measures 96x110 feet and the building, which was designed by Architect Joseph Stillburg, will cost $125,000.

Architects Nirdlinger & Simpson are receiving estimates on a four-story brick apartment house, to be erected by the Moreland estate at Forbes and Craig street. The building will be fire proof and will cost $75,000. On the first floor will be four store rooms and 20 suites of from one to six rooms each will occupy the upper floors.

The same architects awarded the contract to the Henry Shenk Company for the residence of R. G. Gillespie, to be erected at Fifth and Aiken avenues at a cost of $70,000. A large brick stable will also be built on the rear of the lot.

Bids are being taken by Architects Struthers & Hannah on the Hamilton Avenue United Presbyterian church, which will be built at the southwest corner of Homewood avenue and Idlewild street, Twenty-first ward. The structure will be of the Gothic style and will cost about $38,000. The Rev. William F. McCulloch is pastor.

Architect T. H. Scott has plans for a $12,000 brick stable for Joseph Hastings in Charles street, Allegheny.

Architect George H. Schwan will be ready for estimates June 1 on the engine house and police station to be built in Northumberland street, near Shady avenue, Twenty-second ward, at a cost of $60,000. The same architect has plans for a $10,000 residence for Mrs. James Loughridge at the northeast corner of Jackson street and Heberton avenue, Nineteenth ward.

St. Agnes Will Buy Big Site.

A deal has been practically closed through the office of Warren & Gray for two strips, 124x425 feet, and 124x413 feet, at Fifth avenue and Robinson street for a site for the St. Agnes Roman Catholic church. The closing of the deal is delayed only by the failure of the church authorities to secure a narrow strip between the two lots named. This strip belongs to V. Valtenbauser and it is understood that favorable terms for settlement have nearly been agreed upon. The property, if secured, will be used for a site for a church, parish house and school house.

W. B. Haynes is taking bids on 17 five-room brick houses which will be built for James Jones of the Pittsburgh & Buffalo company near Second avenue and Tecumseh street, Twenty-third ward. Mr. Jones owns the entire square bounded by Second avenue, Tecumseh street, Gertrude street and Trenton avenue. These houses will occupy a plot 275x110 feet facing in Tecumseh street. They will cost about $30,000 and will rent for $22.50 each. The site is about midway between the Jones & Laughlin works and the Glenwood shops of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, and houses of this kind are always well rented. Mr. Haynes, who owns 40x100 feet at the corner of Second avenue and Tecumseh street, will take bids in a few days on a three-story store and flat building on that site to cost $15,000.

Cross & Formichella of the East End are taking bids on 17 solid brick houses in Edgewood. The houses will contain six and seven rooms each and will cost $4,000 each.

Good Sale On East Park.

A. Z. Byers & Co. have sold for Mrs. Mary Patterson to a North Side business man the residence property at the northeast corner of North avenue and Boyle street, Third ward, Allegheny, for $12,250. The house is a nine-room solid brick residence on 22x120 feet and usually rents for $100 a month. The buyer will occupy it as a home.

A. D. Harrison of the Wilkinsburg Real Estate and Trust Company sold for J. D. Peterson to George W. Shickler 196x135 feet on the east side of Mifflin avenue, between Chestnut and Green streets, Third ward, Wilkinsburg, 96x135 feet on the opposite side of Mifflin avenue and 81x130 feet facing in Trenton avenue in the rear for $19,044, or $60 a front foot. The frontage will be improved with 12 $3,500 brick houses, for which the contract has been awarded to S. L. Smith & Co.

K. Klebansky has sold for Dr. S. Blumberg to Sarah and Max Goodman 3350-3352 Penn avenue, consisting of a three-story brick store and house on 42x100 feet for $16,000. Dr. Blumberg secured the property from Zerah Barach for $14,000. It rents for $121 a month.

Attorney W. L. Sloan has sold to John M. Petty 136 Washington street, a brick house and stable on 20x113 feet, for $10,000. The property is near Fifth avenue and was bought for an investment.

Through the agency of W. J. White, William H. Whitfield has sold to Amanda and Mary E. Alexander a new two-story and mansard brick house on 114x120 feet, facing in Darlington road, near Denniston avenue, for $11,500. The purchase was made for a home.

Through the Real Estate Corporation Jessie D. Gross has bought from Thomas M. Porter a brick house on 35x120 feet, on the south side of Atlantic avenue, Twentieth ward, for $8,000. She also secured from the same owner a brick house on 30x125 feet on the Pennsylvania railroad, near South Negley avenue, and a frame house on 28x84 feet in the south side of Claybourne street, Twentieth ward, for $10,000.

The United States Builders' Company has sold to William Slaugenhoupt an improved property, 30x100 feet, on the southwest corner of Logan and Anderson street, and 60x100 feet on the south side of the latter street, near Camp street, Thirteenth ward, for $16,500.

Sales Made By Brokers.

Sewickley: The Samuel W. Black Company sold for Mrs. Hepple W. Hamilton 60x100 feet on the north side of Beaver street, 60 feet east of Broad street, Sewickley, for $9,000. The property is near the center of the business district of Sewickley and will be improved with a handsome business block, for which plans are being prepared.

Thirty-third street: George C. Norris & Co. sold for Julius Stein to Frank Nowicki a brick house on 25x100 feet at 438 Thirty-third street for $2,100.

Wylie avenue: The Aronson Realty Company sold for Jacob Colker to C. F. Brice a three-story brick building on 23x100 feet at the southwest corner of Wylie avenue and Francis street for $4,700.

Ingleside: John A. Sharp sold for William Watson Smith to William J. Gray lot 39, facing 22 feet in Graham street, Ingleside, for $550.

South Side: The Peoples' Trust Company sold to Caspar Peppel an improved lot, 24x50 feet, on the north side of Carey alley, near Nineteenth street, Twenty-fifth ward, for $1,422.

Building permits were issued to J. S. Schuchert for a two-story brick veneered dwelling on Allen street, Thirty-first ward, to cost $3,700; John M. Kane, 4 two-story brick veneered dwellings on Jordon alley, Seventeenth ward, to cost $5,600, and Joseph Schoenberger two-story frame dwelling on Camelia street, Eighteenth ward, to cost $1,600.

H. M. Berman, of the Merchants Savings and Trust Company sold for Martin and Thomas Burke 76 Fulton street, 20x80 feet, improved with a three-story brick storeroom and dwelling on Fulton street and two small brick houses on rear of lot, for $9,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Eppelien M to Otto Schuchman, May 2, 26th wd, Pgh, 20x60, Wharton st	$ 1,495
Englemohr C F to P V Obreeunas, May 8, Knoxville, 50x120, Alice st	7,300
Fulton S S to Wm Fark, May 1, 5th wd, Ally, 40x132, Fayette st	7,250
Fitzsimmons J to J F Fisher, Apl 29, Homestead, 25x110, Ammon st	2,900
Ceyrolle G to J H Purdy, May 15, Baldwin twp, 1 acre	3,000
Breeding Jacob to Geo G Adams, May 6, 28th wd, Pgh, 16x81, Carson st	18,000
Blair James to R Summersgill, June 21, Munhall, 25x132, McClure st	4,500
Phillips D C to Ursula Lott, May 5, 25th wd, Pgh, 20x72, Twenty-fourth street	1,700
Fuller W C to J C Yost, May 18, 7th wd, McKeesport, 26x100, Soles st	1,350
Boerner P to L A Reich, Mch 29, Mt. Oliver, 50x200, Penn ave	2,000
Equitable Trust Co to F C Irish, May 2, Indiana twp, 67 acres	4,200
Safe Dep and Tr Co to S E Ralston, May 18, Wilkinsburg, 40x130, Singer Place	1,900
Aul Geo A to F F Nicola, Apl 29, 4th wd, Pgh, 24x60, Seventh st	25,0000
McCandless W to Murdoch Kerr & Co, 3d wd, Pgh, 23x80, Strawberry alley	17,000
Miller Henry to F Gelbke, May 13, Montooth, 28x110, Paul ave	1,000
Driscoll C to Margaret Brady, Apl 8, 4th wd, Ally, 12x78, Morgan st	1,000
Kramer Anna H to E E Haeffele, Apl 14, 13th wd, Pgh, 24x112, Wylie av	4,800
Watson Jas to 12th wd Ally School Dist, Apl 10, 12th wd, Ally, 20x100, East st	3,600
Wunderlich M J to T Barrett, Mch 22, 21st wd, Pgh, 20x97, Homewood av	8,000
Lloyd S H to L H Fellabom, Apl 26, 19th wd, Pgh, 90x129, Heberton av	9,750
Brady Margaret to H B Ingham, May 15, 4th wd, Ally, 12x78, Morgan st	1,800
Hoffman Jno to S Pretzman, Apl 10, Carnegie, 30x120, Knox av	1,050
Manion P A to F J Cavanagh, Apl 24, Scott twp, 40x100, Center st	1,050
Armor Ella D to M F Ogden, Apl 29, Crafton, 100-100, Linwood av	2,000
Woods Chas D to W C Brieck, Mch 4, 10th wd, McKeesport, 48x122, Atlantic avenue	3,100
Hulme Maud to Emma Rowland, May 11, Wilkinsburg, 28x122, Frankstown avenue	6,000
Colker Jacob to C F Brum, May 3, 13th wd, Pgh, 23x100, Wylie av	4,700
Leiber S P to W C McEldowney, May 19, 8th wd, Pgh, 75x123, Crawford street	13,000
Knoxville L Impt Co to F Sommer, May 5, Knoxville, 25x100, Arabella street	3,000
Price S P E to Ida M Eberman, Dec 10, 14th wd, Pgh, 16x90, Elsinore sq	5,000
Eicher E J to Annie Simon, May 1, N Braddock, 25x110, Stokes av	2,500
Sadler W A to R S Sadler, May 16, N Braddock, 56x103, Main st	1,000
Dodge S H to Wm Spiers, May 20, Munhall, 33x110, Thirteenth av	3,600

MICHAEL DALTON IS HELD.

Homestead Postoffice Employe to Be Tried for Embezzling Mail.

Michael Dalton, until recently employed in the Homestead postoffice, was given a hearing on a charge of embezzling United States mail, and held in $500 bail for trial in the United States district court, by Commissioner William T. Lindsay, yesterday. It is expected bail will be furnished today. Commissioner Lindsay said if the bail was not forthcoming, the case would be called at Erie on July 11, otherwise it would go over until the October term in Pittsburgh.

Postmaster John Grien of Homestead and his assistant, Lewis L. Jones, testified to placing a decoy registered letter in the mails, resulting in Dalton being trapped with it in his possession last Friday evening. Jones also said Dalton had been drinking quite freely for several weeks past. The defendant, it was stated, comes of a very good family, having numerous connections about South Fork, Pa.

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